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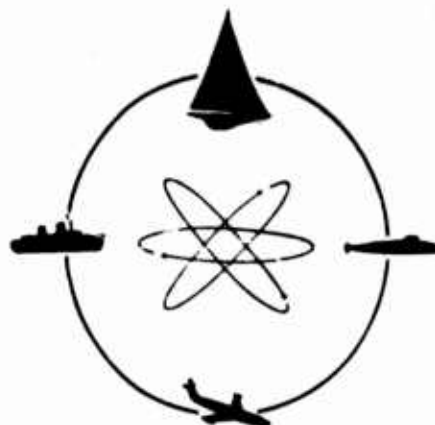
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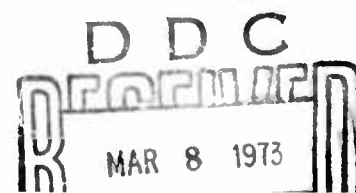
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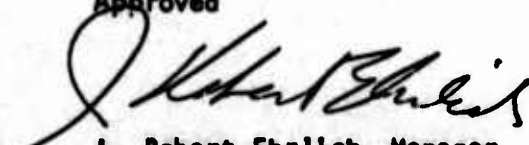
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LIST OF SYMBOLS

A_{ij}	smoothing coefficients	- -
C	constant	- -
C_{ij}	covariance, autocovariance	ln
D	horizontal displacement	ln
D'	vertical displacement	ln
F_1	force on axle	lb
F_2'	force on rear bogie	lb
f	frequency	cycles/ln
g	acceleration due to gravity	ln/sec ²
h	positive integer	-
I_o	pitch moment of inertia	lb-sec ² /ln
K	equivalent degrees of freedom	-
k	spring constant	lb/ln
L_i	geometrical vehicle parameters	ln
m	maximum lag	-
m_i	mass	lb-sec ² /ln
N	number of points in profile	-
n	slope of PSD curve	-
P	power spectral density estimate	ln ² /cycle/ln
P_i	ground force on axle	lb
r	positive integer	-
t	time (or distance)	sec (ln)
$U(r)$	smoothed spectral density estimate	ln ² /cycle/ln

LIST OF SYMBOLS (Cont'd)

V	random normal number	-
V(r)	raw spectral density estimate	in ² /cycle/in
X	displacement	in
Y	displacement	in
z	uniform random number	-
z ₁	vertical displacement	in

Greek Letters

α	spacial cutoff frequency	cycles/in
β	angle	radians
γ	vertical spring force component	lb/in
Δ	suspension displacement	in
ΔL	profile point spacing	in
θ	pitch angle	radians
π	constant (3.14159...)	-
σ_n	standard deviation	-
τ	profile spacing in NOIPSD	in
	lag in literature on PSD	-

Other

<	less than
≤	less than or equal to
>	greater than
≥	greater than or equal to
→	approaches continuously
*	multiplication (eg. 2*3 = 6)

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INTRODUCTION

For some time, off-road mobility has been of manifest importance to designers of military vehicles. The problem has been to design a vehicle to traverse terrain with certain characteristics at a reasonable speed with negligible adverse effects on vehicle payload or driver.

This study concerns itself with some of the problems encountered in describing and measuring terrain characteristics -- in particular, ground roughness.

BACKGROUND

The characteristics of a terrain can be numerous. They may include, among others, slope, obstacles, vegetation, soil strength, and roughness. It has been shown, however, that the single most speed-limiting aspect of off-road mobility is ride dynamics.¹ The study of ride dynamics concerns itself with human and cargo response to vibration. This vibration may be caused by terrain roughness and/or discrete obstacles, and filtered by the vehicle mass, geometry, and suspension system. Vibration caused by traversal of discrete obstacles (logs, small ditches) is transient in nature and vehicle speed is limited more by vehicle strength and operator judgement and experience than by vibrational characteristics.² On the other hand, vibration due to stationary ground roughness is close to a steady-state condition; dependent on vehicle velocity. An operator will, if properly motivated, increase the vehicle speed until some degree of

discomfort is felt. He will then decrease speed slightly. The maximum speed a vehicle with driver can maintain over a certain terrain, then, is determined by:

- (1) Terrain roughness
- (2) Vehicle strength and suspension
- (3) Driver discomfort (or payload delicacy)

It has long been recognized that some quantitative measure of the last of these, driver discomfort, is necessary to ride dynamics research. Many studies have been conducted in an attempt to determine some subjective measure. Van Deusen shows the apparent futility of this approach and some of the resultant confusion in a composite graph, reproduced in Figure 1.²

Several quantitative measures have been used with greater success. They include, but are not limited to: RMS acceleration at the driver's seat (or the area under the RMS acceleration time history)¹; maximum acceleration at the driver seat²; the amplitude probability distribution of driver acceleration¹; and absorbed power, a concept generated by Lee and Pradko³ which is intended to quantify the energy dissipated by the human in the vibration of his limbs and flesh and counteracted partially by muscular control. In the words of Lee and Pradko³:

The important characteristics of absorbed power are are that it has physical significance and therefore can be measured as well as computed analytically; and that since power is a scalar quantity, absorbed power can be summed in complex multidegree of freedom systems to determine human response.

The results of an earlier effort by the same authors show that absorbed power levels measured at the driver's seat seem to agree more

1. Ziegenruecker and Magid "Actual bodily harm feared"
2. Magid & Coermann "One minute tolerance"
3. Diekmann "Intolerable"
4. Gorrill & Snyder "Alarming"
5. Parks and Snyder "Alarming" (3/4" felt pad)
6. Zeller "Upper tolerance limit"
7. Goldman "Intolerable"

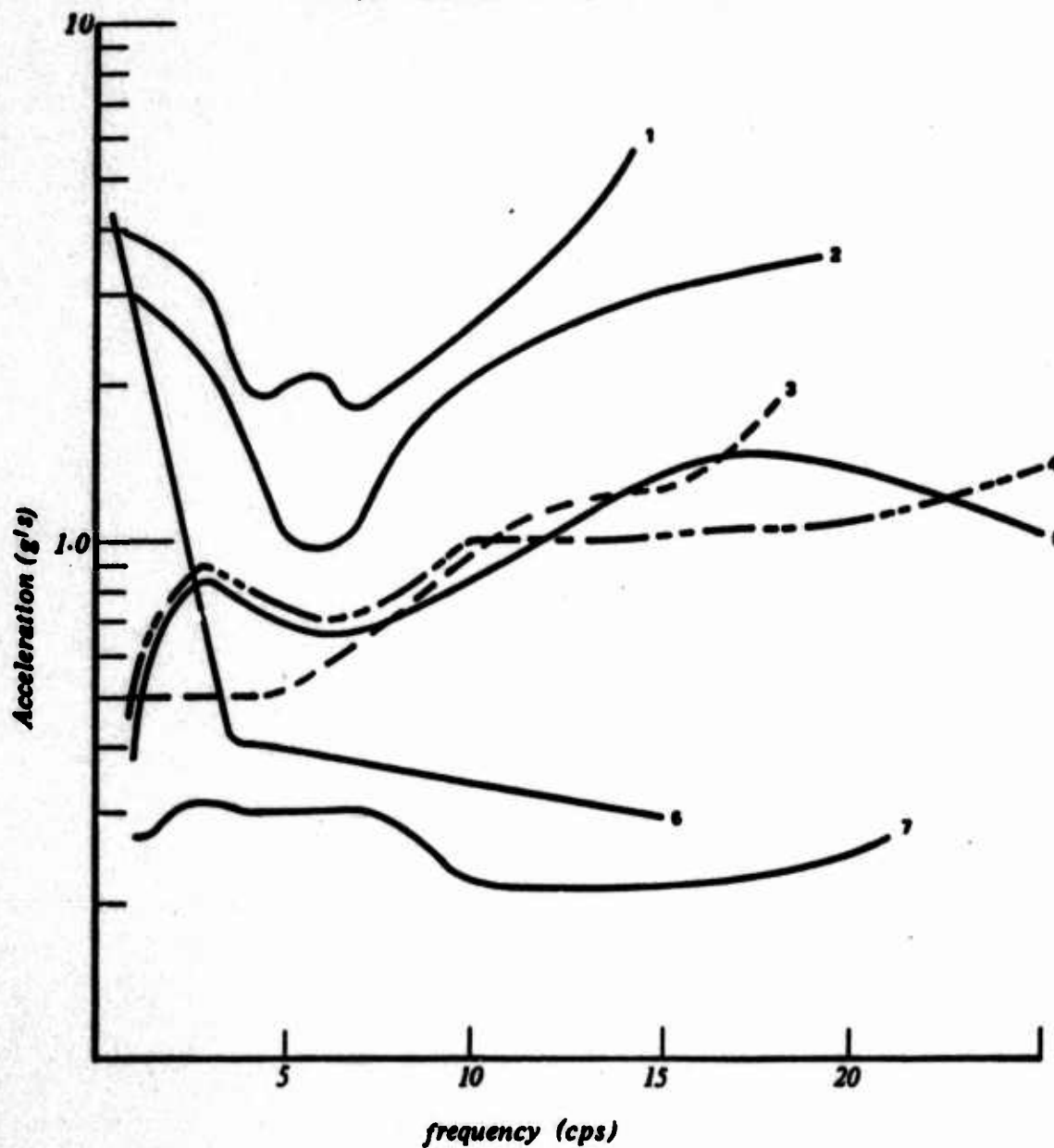


Figure 1. Subjective Ride Criterion

closely with subjective ride evaluations than do RMS accelerations.⁴ Thus, the current study will use the absorbed power concept. Even among proponents of this criteria, there is confusion over the question of what level of absorbed power should be considered speed-limiting. Six watts, being a generally accepted figure, will be used herein with no apologies to those who consider it too low.

This research concerns itself, not with the driver discomfort or vehicle systems problem, but with the first factor mentioned above -- terrain roughness.

Recently, (1972) power spectral density (PSD) estimates have been used to describe terrain roughness statistically. The mathematical definitions of PSD will be discussed in some detail later. When PSD estimates for real terrain waveforms are required, the problems of aliasing and stationarity become important. Aliasing is a condition where false evidence of certain frequencies appears because the discrete sampling interval is longer than the shortest wavelength present. Stationarity, briefly, is the absence of long-range changes in underlying statistical properties.

The first proposal of the PSD's use to characterize stable ground roughness came from Kozin, Cote, and Bogdanoff in 1963.⁵ They found that for "visually constant" ground roughness, stationarity could be safely assumed for terrain segments up to 2000 feet. They used running averages to correct for unavoidable long-range trends such as hills.

Others have shown that the PSD curves of most natural and man-made surfaces can be approximated with the equation:

$$\text{PSD}(f) = C f^n \quad (1)$$

where f = frequency

which defines a straight line on a log-log plot, with slope of n .

Van Deusen,⁶ in 1967, gave evidence to show that for most natural or man-made surfaces, the slope is roughly -2.

Other researchers have subsequently used the -2 approximation in ride dynamics work, using computer simulation of both the terrain and the vehicle. Before substantive work using a computer simulation is undertaken, the assumptions made when implementing that simulation must be shown not to significantly affect the results of the research. In past studies, several assumptions have been made regarding the computer-generated terrain profiles:

- (1) That the profiles pass the test for stationarity.
(Murphy used a program called STANOR to actually test his profiles.)¹
- (2) That, as mentioned above, the slope of the PSD curve is -2.0 for any real terrain.
- (3) That the input spacing can be set to any arbitrary value (Murphy used 3.07 inches; Kozin used up to 2 feet to estimate the PSD's of real terrain⁵).

The first of these assumptions seems reasonable; especially if the input is generated from random numbers which are stationary. This will be discussed in more detail later. The second two leave some questions unanswered.

In recent work, as yet unpublished, Murphy has measured over sixty actual ground roughness profiles. He has found that the slopes of their PSD curves vary from -0.6 to -2.3. Does the assumption of a -2.0 slope, then, cause significant errors in ride analysis? To answer this question is the first objective of this research. This objective will be attacked by testing the vehicle ride simulation for sensitivity to changes in PSD slope, keeping other statistical parameters constant.

The second assumption concerns a more practical matter. An investigator involved in taking field data for terrain roughness analysis has to trade off time and money considerations against accuracy. Taking data points using transit and rod is time consuming -- thus expensive. Taking data closer together increases cost; while choosing too great a measurement interval decreases accuracy. Theoretically, some point exists where further reduction of interval wastes money. Likewise, at some point a further increase causes a serious reduction in accuracy. The second objective of this report is to obtain some quantitative grasp of the accuracy of vehicle model performance versus distance between data points. This will be accomplished by creating a single terrain profile with a small interval and exercising a computer vehicle simulation over this

terrain at different measurement intervals.

DISCUSSION AND COMPUTER CALCULATIONS

NOIPSD

The first requirement of this study was the generation of terrain profiles, created with random amplitudes. In addition, some control of statistical properties was necessary. A computer program (NOISE1) written for this purpose was obtained from Mr. N. S. Murphy Jr. of the Waterways Experiment Station. Another program, PSD, was designed to accomplish the PSD estimation. To reduce the execution time, NOISE1 and PSD were combined to form the program NOIPSD. Unfortunately, both were written for a GE400 machine, while the computer available was a PDP-10. This necessitated several adjustments in the program, in addition to translation into a different Fortran language. A description of the program and the changes made in its basic structure follows. A program listing is in Appendix A.

First, a random number generator was required. Since these generators (sub-programs) are generally machine-specific, some alteration of the program was necessary. An internal PDP-10 program, called RAN(Z), was used to obtain twelve uniform random numbers between zero and one for each profile point. It was desired that each terrain profile be different. RAN(Z), however, has a fixed starting number for each program execution. This is analogous to having a fixed table of random numbers from which to choose. Obviously, then, each execution would result in the same profile shape. It was decided to use a scheme in which a "skipping number" was used to cause the

program to produce different profiles while maintaining their random nature. Twelve normal random numbers between zero and one are used to obtain random numbers with zero mean by the uniform deviates method:

$$V_j = \sigma_n \left(\sum_{i=1}^{12} z_i - 6.0 \right) \quad (j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 1200)$$

where V_j = a random normal number with zero mean

z_i = a uniform random number from RAN (Z)

σ_n = desired standard deviation of V

Before each twelve numbers used from the "table" of random numbers, NG (the "skipping number") points were skipped. NG should be kept relatively low to reduce computer time. Prime numbers were assigned to NG each time NOIPSD was run to insure profile difference.

After all the V_j 's are determined, their mean is computed. It should be zero and usually is very small. To make sure, each V_j is then shifted by the computed mean.

This procedure gives white Gaussian noise, which has essentially a level power spectral density curve. The above spectrum is shaped using a digital simulation of an analog low-pass filter:

$$Y_i = V_i + Y_{i-1} e^{-\alpha \tau}$$

where Y_i = the resulting profile

α = the spacial cutoff frequency

τ = the interval between points (constant)

The product $\alpha\tau$ is used to adjust the frequency content of the profile. For most of this study, τ was kept at a constant 4.0 inches. The value chosen for α , then, determined the ultimate power spectral density slope. A table of α values was determined by trial and error and is given below:

Table 1
(Valid for $\tau = 4.0$)

Desired Slope	Use NG of	Use α of
-0.60	2	.2575
-1.20	19	.0888
-1.85	13	.0129
-2.00	7	.0052
-2.15	11	.00138
-2.30	3	.00016

Next, the desired RMS level (DRMS)* is achieved by computing the actual RMS (ARMS) and adjusting each point by the factor DRMS/ARMS. This results in the desired results, and completes the profile generation portion of the program.

Before continuing on in the program description, the mathematical definitions of the autocovariance function and power spectral density estimation need to be presented.

* Names in parentheses indicate program variables. See Appendix A.

Assume $X(t)$ is a continuous, infinite waveform. The covariances (C_{ij}) are defined by:⁷

$$\begin{aligned} C_{ij} &= \text{cov} \{X(t_i), X(t_j)\} \\ &= \text{ave}_X \{ [X(t_i) - \bar{X}(t_i)] * [X(t_j) - \bar{X}(t_j)] \} \end{aligned}$$

where \bar{X} indicates the mean.

Since the terrain waveforms are created with zero mean, $\bar{X}(t_i) = \bar{X}(t_j) = \bar{X}(t_n) = 0.0$. It follows that:

$$C_{ij} = \text{ave}_X \{ X(t_i) * X(t_j) \}$$

Furthermore, assuming stationarity, the covariances will depend on time separation only.

$$C_{ij} = C(t_i - t_j) = C(\tau)$$

where τ is generally called lag. From this, and assuming ergodic properties, the covariance at lag τ can be written:

$$C(\tau) = \text{ave}_t \{ X(t) * X(t + \tau) \}$$

or, in functional notation:

$$C(\tau) = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} X(t) * X(t + \tau) dt \quad (2)$$

which is generally called the autocovariance function. Equation (2) may, in the ideal case, be reduced to:⁷

$$C(\tau) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P(f) * e^{i2\pi f \tau} df \quad (3)$$

where

$$P(f) = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \left| \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} X(t) * e^{-i2\pi f t} dt \right|^2 \quad (4)$$

which defines $P(f)$, the power spectral density of the $X(t)$ waveform. Note that t , the independent variable, may be either time or distance.

If Equation (3) is inverted, the power spectral density (PSD) is seen to be the Fourier transform of the autocovariance function:

$$P(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} C(\tau) * e^{-i2\pi f \tau} d\tau$$

Since $C(\tau)$ is an even function (symmetric about the zero axis), the equation may be simply written:

$$P(f) = 2 \int_0^{\infty} C(\tau) * \cos(2\pi f \tau) d\tau$$

In the particular case considered herein, the data to be analyzed is discrete and equally spaced. One very important problem to be considered in these cases is aliasing. If the data is taken from a continuous waveform at equally spaced intervals, as would be the case in recording a real terrain, some frequency estimates are distorted. The basic problem is illustrated in Figure 2 which shows

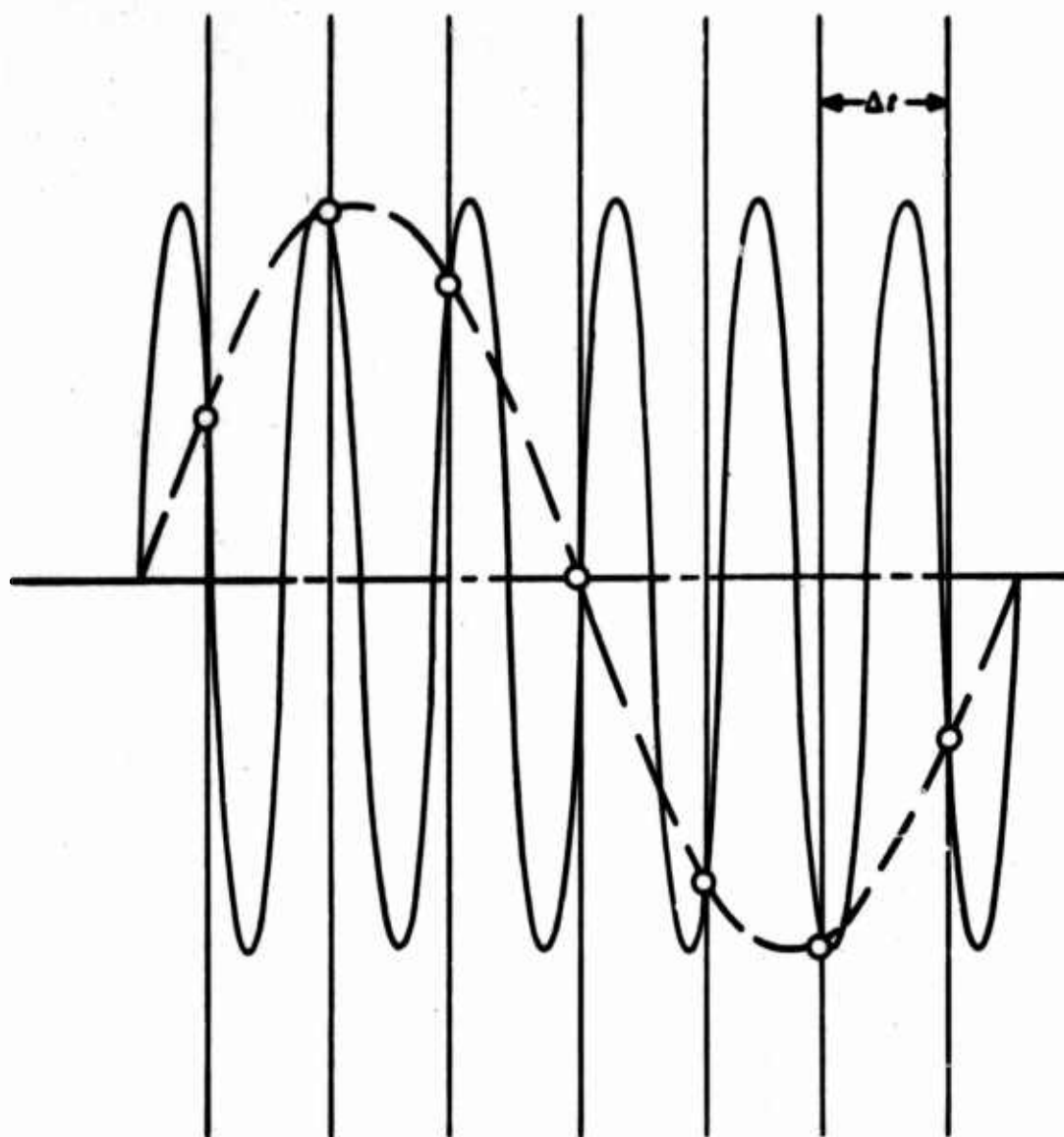


Figure 2. Example of Aliasing

how, in equi-spaced sampling of a sine wave, an imaginary longer wavelength appears to be present. In the present case, the discrete terrain data are not measured from a continuous source, but created in its discrete form. The highest frequency possible is $1/(2\Delta t)$ which is used as the high cut-off frequency. Aliasing, in this special case, is of no concern.

For discrete data, Blackman and Tukey suggest a three-step method for power spectral density estimation:⁷

- (1) If $X(1), X(2), X(3), \dots, X(N)$ is the discrete series with interval ΔL between values, the autocovariance is computed with lag $\tau = h \cdot \Delta L$ as follows:

$$C(\tau) = \frac{1}{N-hr} \sum_{q=0}^{N-hr} (X(q) * X(q+hr)) \quad (5)$$

where N = number of points

$r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m$

$m \leq N/h$ = maximum lag

$h > 0$ (Integer)

- (2) The raw spectral estimate is computed:

$$V(r) = \Delta\tau \left[C_0 + 2 \sum_{q=1}^{m-1} (C_q * \cos(qr\pi/m)) + C_m * \cos(r\pi) \right] \quad (6)$$

where $f(r) = r/(2m\Delta\tau)$

$r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m$

$C_i = C(\tau_i)$

- (3) Due to the finite number of data to be analyzed and the discrete number of lags, the spectral estimate must be smoothed. Hamming is used in this analysis:

$$U(r) = A_{10}V_r + \sum_{j=1}^3 A_{1j} [V_{r+j} + V_{r-j}] \quad (7)$$

where, for hamming: (l=3)

$$A_{30} = 0.54$$

$$A_{31} = 0.23$$

$$A_{3j} = 0.00 \text{ for } j = 2, 3, 4, \dots$$

Returning to the computer program, NOIPSD, the first step in the PSD estimation process is to compute the maximum number of lags (LLAG). From Blackman and Tukey the equation is:⁷

$$K = \frac{2 \left(\frac{N}{\tau} - \frac{LLAG}{3} \right)}{LLAG}$$

where K = the equivalent number of degrees of freedom of a chi-square distribution

N = number of points in profile

LLAG = number of lags (max lags)

τ = profile spacing

Solving the above equation for the number of lags:

$$LLAG = \frac{6N}{\tau(3K+2)}$$

Obviously, a balance exists among the number of points, N , the number of lags, and K . The choice of K determines the degree of accuracy of the estimate, as seen in Figure 3. It shows the distribution of PSD estimates, for instance, as fixed multiples of their average values. As an example, consider a PSD estimate which has an average value of $10 \text{ in}^3/\text{cycle}$. For $K = 10$, individual estimates will, in the long run, fall below .49 times its average value ($4.9 \text{ in}^3/\text{cycle}$). In brief, 80 percent of all values would fall within the interval 4.9 to 16.0. As can be seen, higher values of K give higher accuracy. But for a fixed N , the number of lags decreases with K , reducing the amount of information in the PSD curve. Thus with a very high K , one point on the PSD curve would result. It would be very accurate, but not of much use. For $N = 1200$ and $\tau = 4.0$, a value of $K = 20$ gives 30 lags. This value of K gives reasonable accuracy of estimates while giving a reasonable number of lags. Since the program must allow for changes in N and τ , the equation was written:

$$m = \text{LLAG} = 6N/(62\tau)$$

which is used in the program.

The autocovariance computation is done by using $h=1$ in equation (5). A check is made on the RMS level at this point by taking the square root of the first ($r=0$) autocovariance, which should equal the desired RMS.

Next, the raw spectral estimates (PX) are computed using equation (4), and smoothed by hamming to give the smoothed power

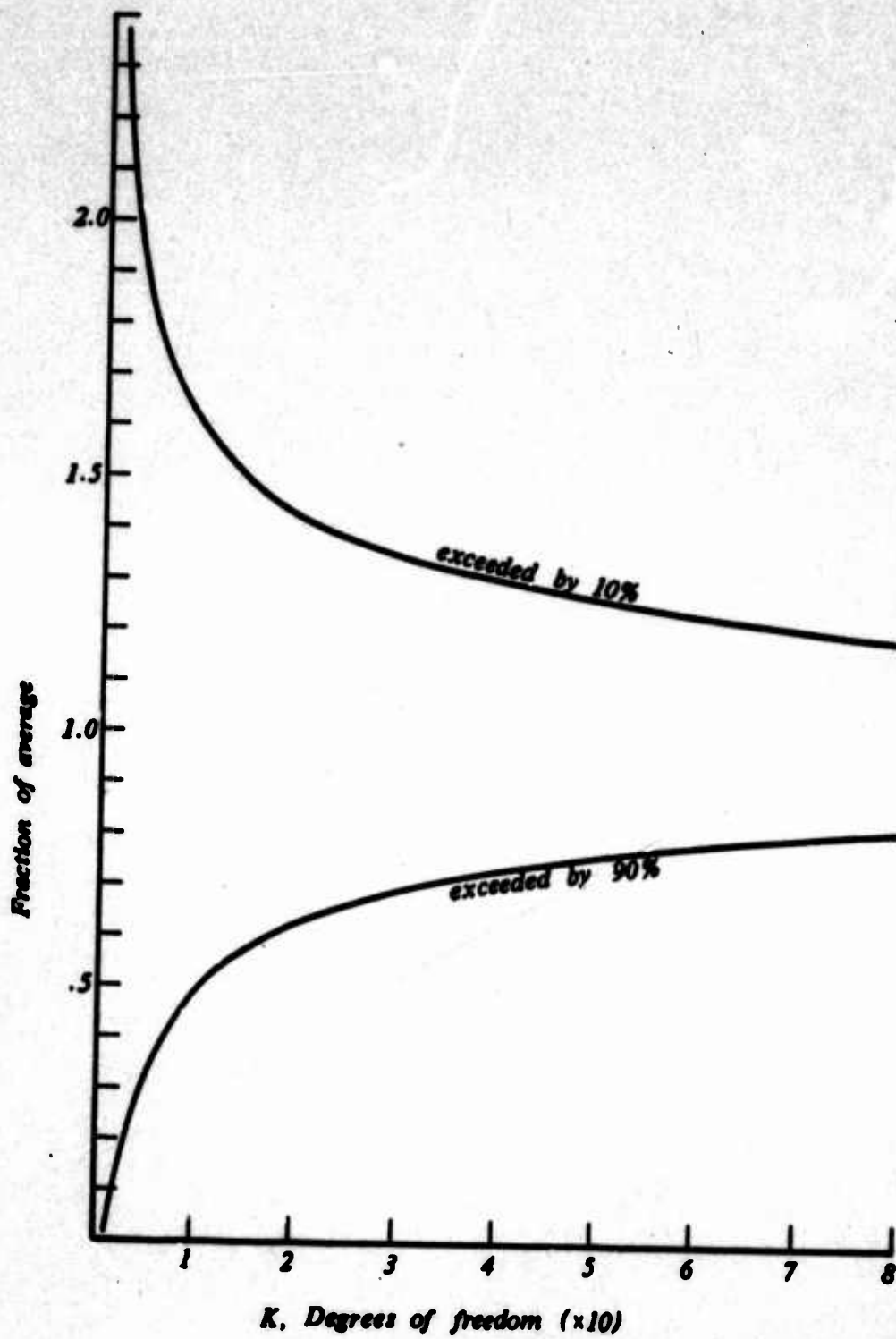


Figure 3. Relative Accuracy vs.
Equivalent Degrees of Freedom

spectral density estimates (SPX):

$$SPX(1) = .54PX(1) + .46PX(2)$$

$$SPX(j) = .23PX(j-1) + .54PX(j) + .23PX(j+1) \\ (j=2,3,4,\dots,m-1)$$

$$SPX(m) = .54PX(m) + .46PX(m-1)$$

Finally, after discarding PSD points outside the low and high cut-off frequencies, the smoothed PSD estimates are fitted to a straight line on a log-log plot, using a least square fit routine. The result is an equation:

$$PSD = Cf^n$$

where C = the intercept of the line at $f=1.0$

f = frequency

n = slope of the line

This completes the discussion of NOIPSD.

VEH

The next major requirement of this work was a vehicle simulation. Again this was, in its original form, obtained from Mr. N. S. Murphy Jr., WES. The program was also translated to PDP-10 FORTRAN IV for use herein. Several subprograms were changed or added for this study, including DATA, GAMSUB, WHEELS, PRINT, and FILIN. Basically, this computer program is a 2-dimensional, 5-degree-of-freedom simulation.

The following assumptions were made in deriving the equations of motion:

- (1) The vehicle sprung mass is rigid.
- (2) The only forces acting on the sprung mass are suspension forces.
- (3) There is no surge acceleration or motion in sway, yaw, or roll degrees of freedom.
- (4) Pitch is small enough to allow a small-angle approximation.

Assumption 3 was made reluctantly, but was necessitated by time and cost considerations. The others are reasonable considering the purpose of the simulation.

Figure 4 shows a schematic of the general wheeled vehicle model. Three axles are shown and that is the maximum number which can be simulated with this model. A two-axle vehicle is modeled by setting l_3 , l_4 , and m_3 equal to zero. Thus, the one model can simulate almost any conventional vehicle. In this study, one 2-axle and one 3-axle vehicle are used. They are the M151 Jeep and the M35 2½T Truck, respectively.

The equations of motion were written using Newton's Law on each of the free-body masses shown in Figure 5.

Body:

Sum of vertical forces:

$$m_0 \ddot{z} = F_1 + F_2' - m_0 g \quad (8)$$

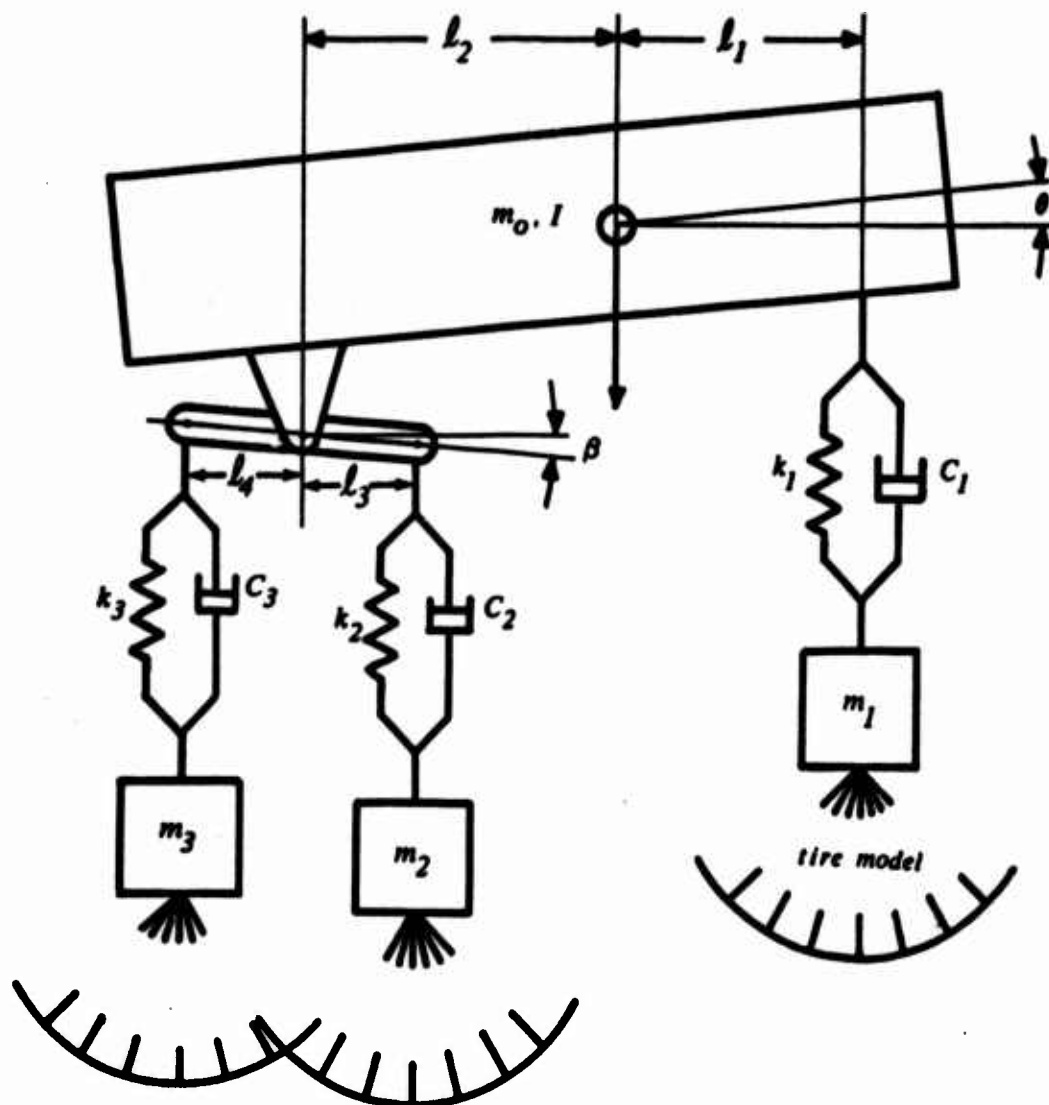


Figure 4. Schematic of General Wheeled Vehicle Model

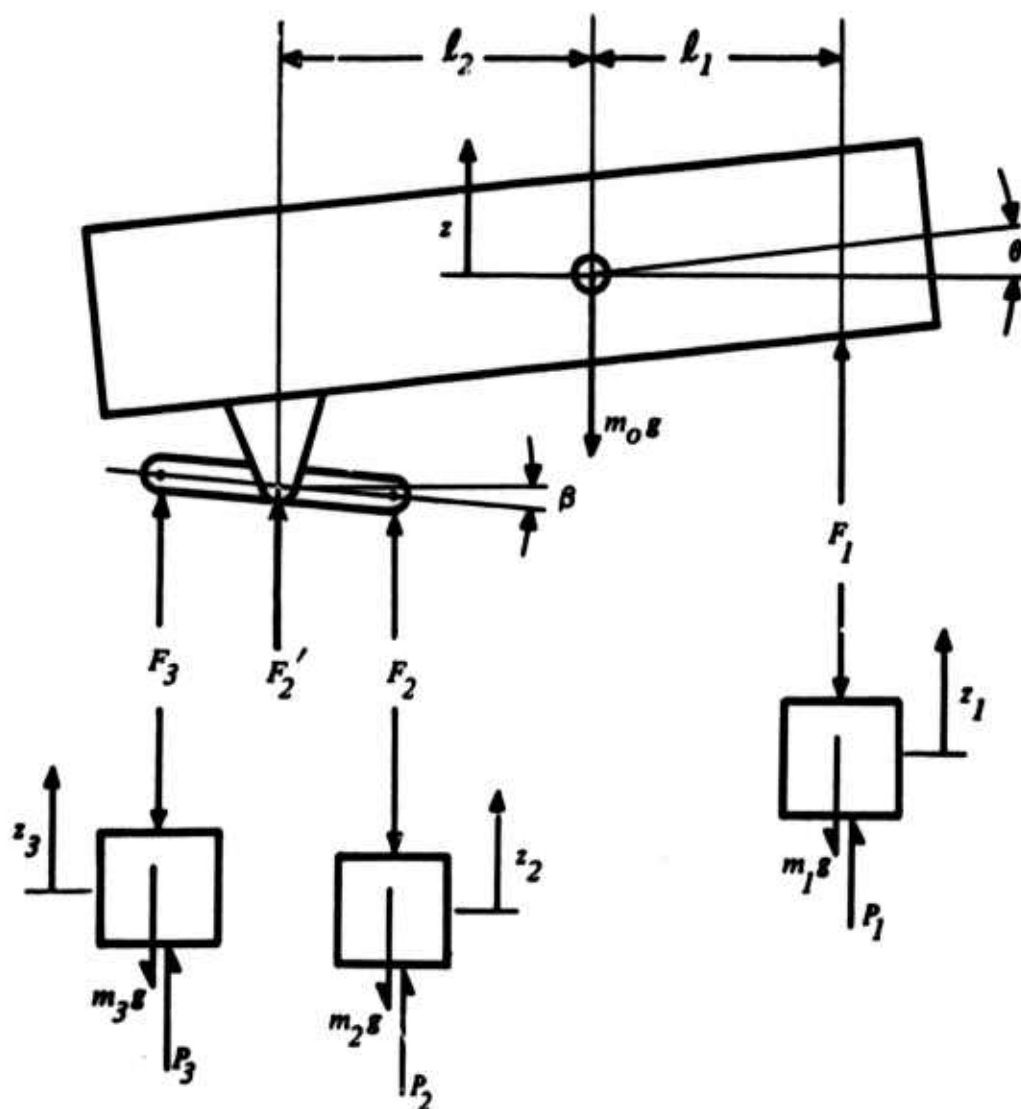


Figure 5. Free Bodies of General Wheeled Vehicle Model

Sum of moments about pitch axis:

$$I\ddot{\theta} = F_1 l_1 \cos \theta - F'_2 l_2 \cos \theta \quad (9)$$

Unsprung masses:

Sum of vertical forces:

$$m_i \ddot{z}_i = -F_i - m_i g + P_i \quad (i=1,2,3) \quad (10)$$

The angle β is defined in the rear suspension geometry as in Figure 5. The forces F_1, F'_2 , and P_i are defined:

$$F_1 = k_1 \Delta_1 + C_1 \dot{\Delta}_1$$

$$\Delta_1 = z_1 - z - l_1 \sin \theta$$

$$\dot{\Delta}_1 = \dot{z}_1 - \dot{z} - l_1 \dot{\theta} \cos \theta$$

$$F'_2 = F_2 + F_3$$

$$F_2 = k_2 \Delta_2 + C_2 \dot{\Delta}_2$$

$$\Delta_2 = z_2 - z + l_2 \sin \theta - l_3 \sin \beta$$

$$\dot{\Delta}_2 = \dot{z}_2 - \dot{z} + l_2 \dot{\theta} \cos \theta - l_3 \dot{\theta} \cos \beta$$

$$F_3 = k_3 \Delta_3 + C_3 \dot{\Delta}_3$$

$$\Delta_3 = z_3 - z + l_2 \sin \theta + l_4 \sin \beta$$

$$\dot{\Delta}_3 = \dot{z}_3 - \dot{z} + l_2 \dot{\theta} \cos \theta + l_4 \dot{\beta} \cos \beta$$

P_i = forces from terrain profile as transmitted by the tire model.

The program named VEH is designed to solve equations 8, 9, and 10. Basically, it performs its function using a fourth order Runge-Kutta-Gill algorithm. A program listing is in Appendix B.

Before the calculations are begun, program options and variable parameters are fed into the program, normally by teletype on a remote hookup. The program options determine which parts of the program will be executed. The variable parameters include the input profile name, tire deflections, vehicle velocity in miles per hour and the teletype printout time interval. These parameters will be explained more fully in the text that follows.

First, VEH calls subroutine FILIN. On this initial call, FILIN requests an input of desired Δl (DELTAL)*, which may be any integer multiple (≥ 1) of the input profile spacing. FILIN then reads the actual input profile spacing (SPACING), the profile identification line (FID) and the first ten profile points (FYIN) from the input file. A parameter, MM, is then calculated by the following formula:

$$MM = \frac{DELTAL}{SPACING}$$

which defines the number of profile points (FYIN) to be skipped between each two points returned to the main program. Thus, if the spacing in the input profile is 1.0 inches and the desired spacing is 4.0 inches, $MM = 4$. Every fourth point will be returned to the main program. This feature was added to allow investigation in this study

*The words in parentheses are the parameter names in the program listing. See Appendix B.

of the effect of input profile spacing on simulation performance.

After the vehicle name and the program options are read, the program calls subroutine DATA. DATA sets the vehicle parameters to the proper values. It must contain every vehicle parameter necessary to simulate the desired vehicle. Some of the data statements contain values of interest only for tracked vehicles. The tracked vehicle subroutines are not included, but the data was left in case later investigators wish to use the program. The tracked vehicle subroutines are available if desired. For wheeled vehicle simulation, a list of necessary vehicle parameters for inclusion in subroutine DATA is given in Appendix C.

After most of the parameters are set, but before returning to the main program, DATA calls subroutine GAMSUB, which computes the parameters used in the radial-spring tire model. The tire model is constructed under the assumption that a tire can be simulated by a series of radial springs, as in Figure 6. In the original program, the calculations done in GAMSUB were made by hand and inserted through subroutine DATA. In this study it was desired to change the input profile spacing from one execution to the next. Thus, GAMSUB takes into account the input profile spacing (DELTAL) and "creates" radial springs such that the distance between the projections of their outer ends on a horizontal surface will be exactly equal to the profile spacing. Thus, D_1, D_2, \dots, D_{kk} are multiples of DELTAL. The maximum angle allowed from the vertical is roughly 53 degrees. One spring is always placed vertical, the others symmetrical to front and rear.

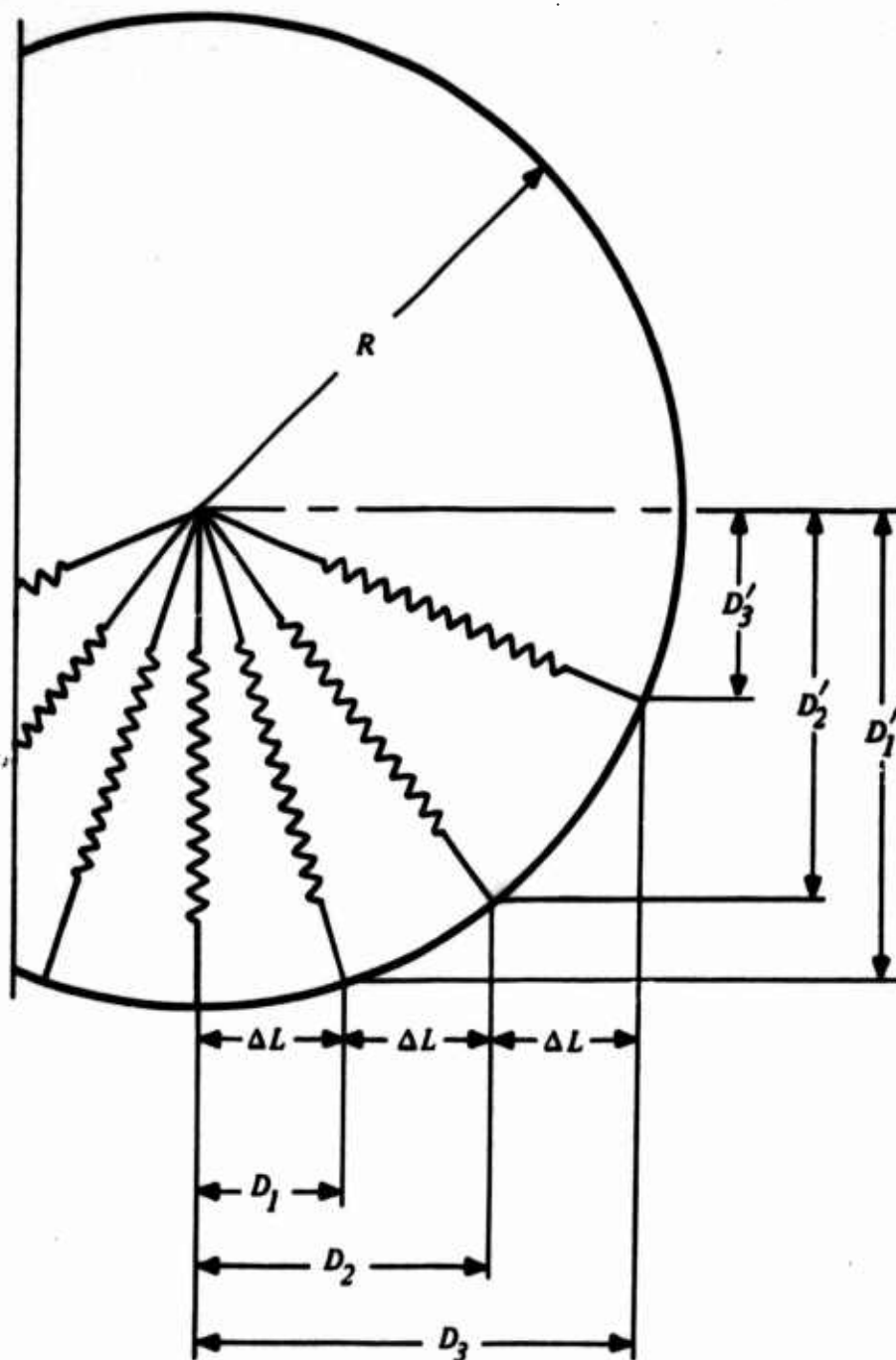


Figure 6. Tire Model
Spring Locations

Basically, γ (GAMMA) is the vertical component of the radial spring force-deflection function. Each radial spring is assumed to have the same spring rate, which is determined separately for each tire from the tire force-deflection curve. The curves for M151 tires, for instance, are shown in Figure 7. The curves are very close to being straight lines, so a linear approximation is used. The load on each tire is computed (note that for 3-axle vehicles the rear tires are assumed to be duals) and typed out, in order from front to rear, on the teletype. After each load, a tire deflection is entered by the operator. Care must be taken to enter the deflection at the proper inflation pressure. The M151 Jeep, for instance, should have 18 psi in the front tires and 22 psi in the rear for cross-country operation.⁸ GAMSUB then computes the radial spring force for each tire. SPKF, SPKR1, AND SPKR2 are the program variables for these spring forces front to rear. They are computed in the following manner:

Suppose the dead load on the tire causes a tire deflection (γ) as in Figure 8. The radial spring constant (SPK) is computed from the dead load (WEIGHT) and spring deflections (DELTA) as follows:

$$\text{WEIGHT} = \sum_{i=1}^{\text{NSEGS}} \text{SPK} * \cos \phi_i * \text{DELTA}_i \quad (11)$$

where $\text{SPK} * \cos \theta_i$ = the vertical component of SPK

$\text{NSEGS} = 2 * \text{KK} + 1$, the number of radial springs in the tire model.

$$\text{SPK} = \frac{\text{WEIGHT}}{\sum_{i=1}^{\text{NSEGS}} \cos \phi_i * \text{DELTA}_i} \quad (12)$$

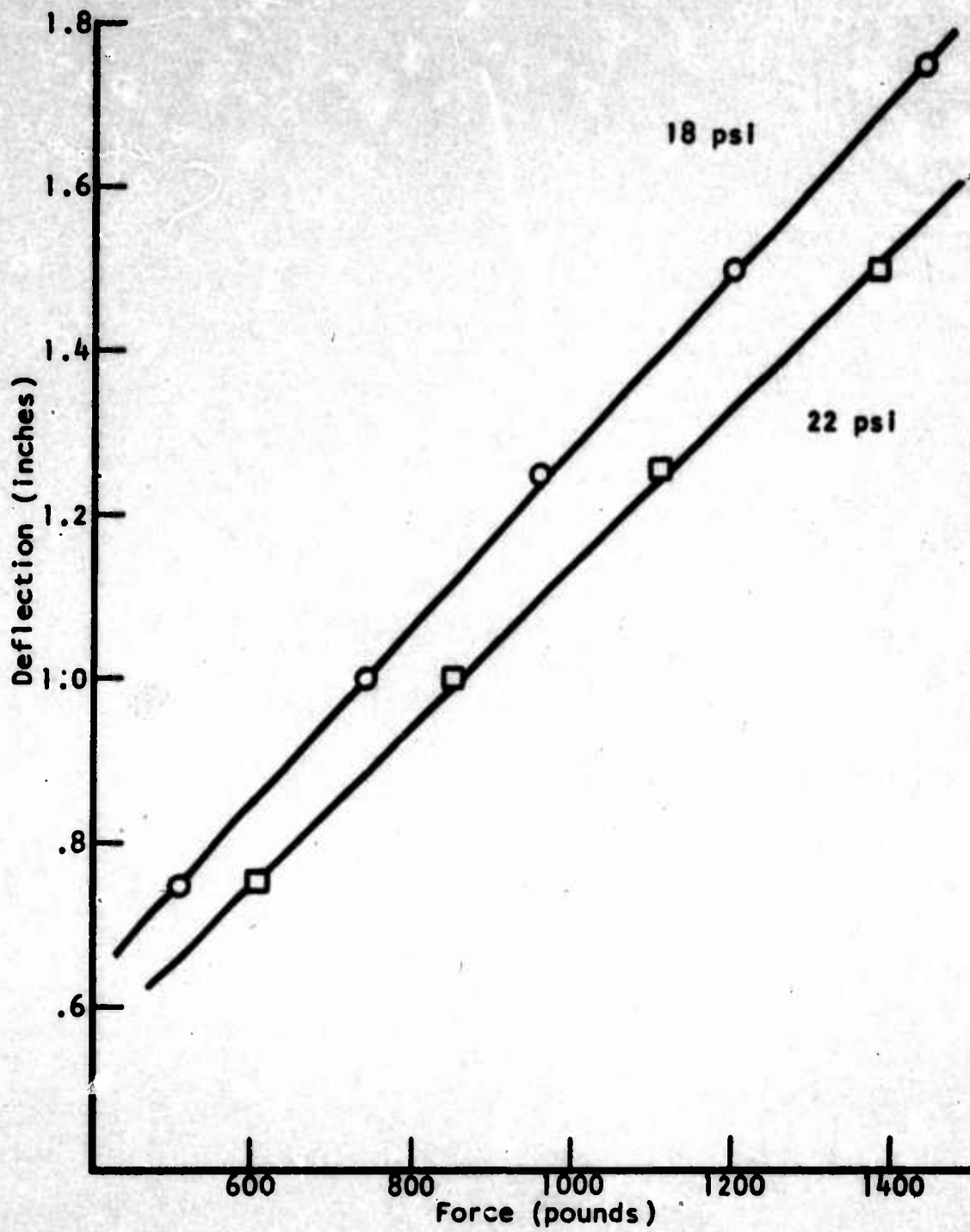


Figure 7. Tire Force-Deflection
Curves for M151

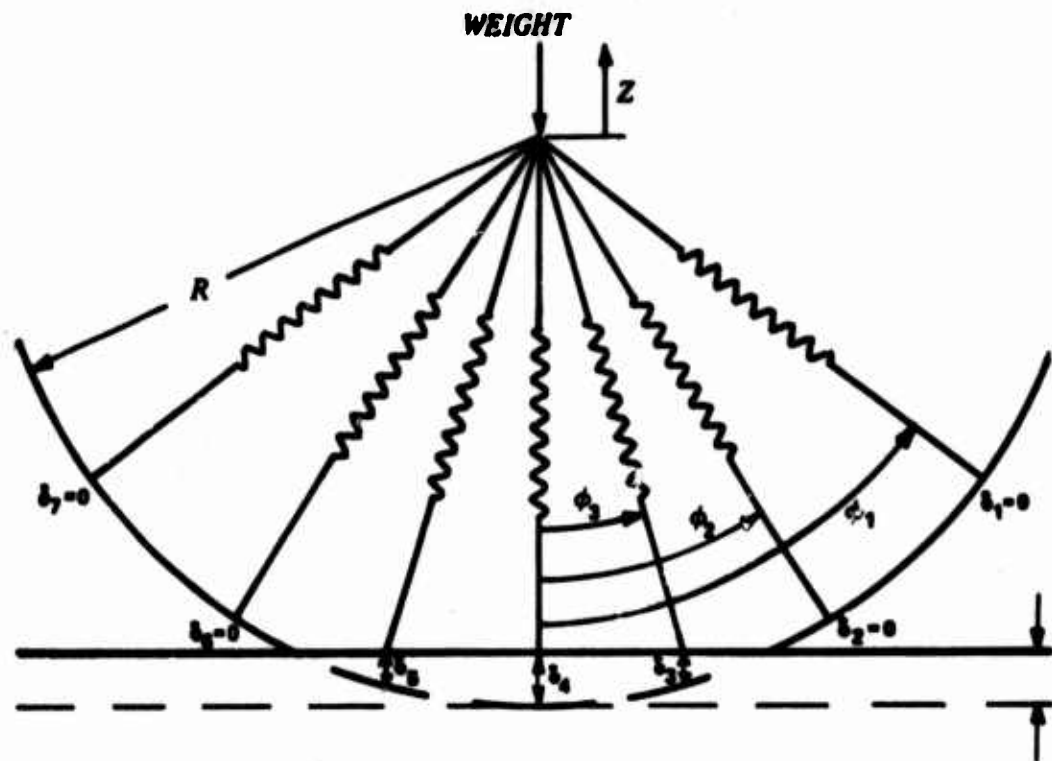


Figure 8. Tire Deflection with Dead Load

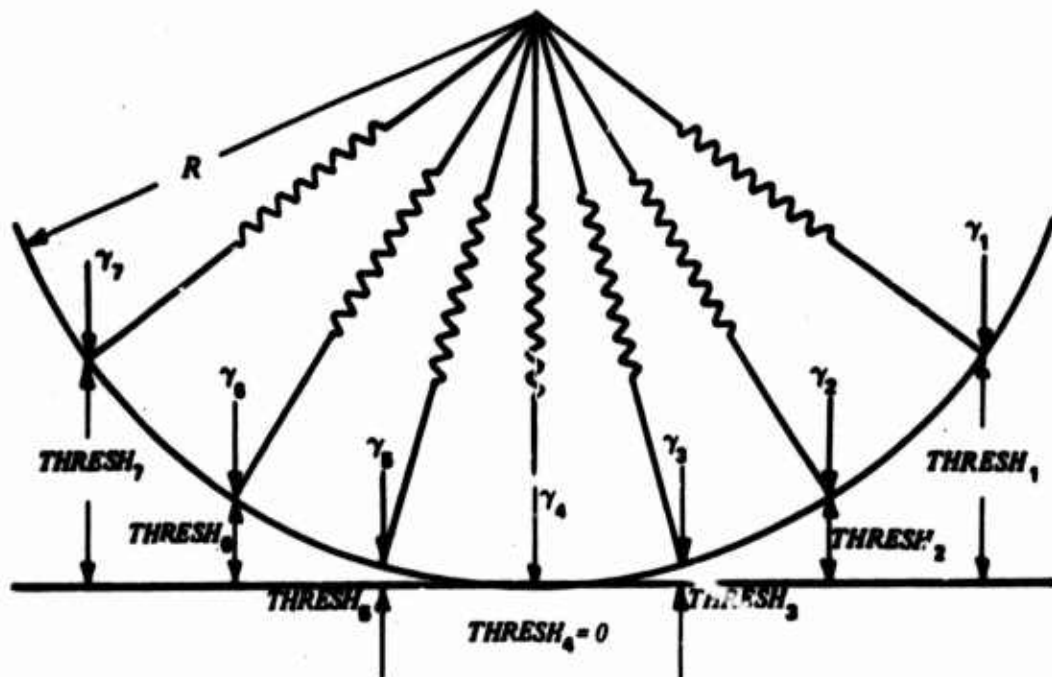


Figure 9. Final Elements of Tire Model

since SPK is assumed constant. In addition, since $\cos \theta_1$ can be written (see Figure 6):

$$\cos \theta_1 = \frac{D'_1}{R}$$

equation (9) becomes:

$$SPK = \frac{WEIGHT}{\sum_{i=1}^{NSEGS} \frac{D'_i}{R} * DELTA_i} \quad (13)$$

where $DELTA_1 = Y - THRESH_1 - z$

(if $DELTA_1$ is < 0.0 , $DELTA_1 = 0.$)

$THRESH_1 = R - D'_1$ (see Figure 9)

R = the undeflected tire radius

Note that in this case, Y causes deflections only in three of the radial springs. Thus, $DELTA_1 = DELTA_2 = DELTA_6 = DELTA_7 = 0.0$ and equation (11) becomes:

$$SPK = \frac{WEIGHT}{\frac{D'_3}{R} * DELTA_3 + \frac{D'_4}{R} * DELTA_4 + \frac{D'_5}{R} * DELTA_5}$$

The radial spring rates for different tires on the same vehicle may vary, either because of different inflation pressures or different load distribution.

As the final step, GAMSUB computes the values for GAMMA by the equation:

$$\text{GAMMA}_{ij} = \text{SPK}_j * \cos \theta_i$$

$$i=1,2,3,\dots,\text{NSEGS}$$

$$j=1,2,3 \text{ (axle number)}$$

For computer notation, the GAMMA's are numbered from front to rear of the vehicle as shown in Figure 10.

front of vehicle →



Figure 10: Numbering Scheme for Tire Segments

Upon return to the main program, the number of steps to be used in the Runge-Kutta-Gill (RKG) algorithm is computed, based of vehicle velocity. The step size is desired to be roughly .001, which is adjusted slightly to insure an exact number of steps between input terrain profile points. This completes the preliminary calculations.

The program enters an integration loop at this point, starting effectively with the calling for the second time of subroutine FILIN. Each time FILIN is called from the integration loop, it simply returns one profile point (YIN) to the main program.

If a detailed output file is desired, the program calls FILWRT, which writes time (T), YIN, and absorbed power (ABSPWR) for each step. It also writes displacement, velocity, acceleration, and RMS

The force exerted through the suspension system to the body must now be computed for each axle.

WHEELS allows considerable flexibility in modeling spring-deflection-vs.-force curves and in modeling damping-force-vs.-deflection-velocity curves. Both curves are specified by data statements in subroutine DATA.

The spring force-deflection function of a typical suspension spring can be approximated by five linear segments, as shown in Figure 11.

The deflection axis can be divided into five regions:

Region 1: $-\infty$ to x_1

Region 2: x_1 to x_2

Region 3: x_2 to x_3

Region 4: x_3 to x_4

Region 5: x_4 to $+\infty$

The x_i are the region limits (SLIMIT_i).

In each region, the force-deflection function is approximated by a linear equation of the form:

$$\text{FORCK}_i = m * \text{SPDEF}_i + C$$

where FORCK = resultant spring force

m = slope of the line (SSLOPE)

SPDEF = deflection of the spring

C = intercept of the line at SPDEF = 0.0 (SINT)

i = axle number

acceleration of the center of gravity, the pitch, and each axle. If the teletype printout interval is exceeded, subroutine PRINT is called, which causes the same information to be typed out. If desired, PRINT will cause only time and absorbed power to be printed out. PRINT also asks the operator if he desires to stop execution. If the answer is yes, the main program transfers out of the integration loop. If the answer is not yes, the main program then calls subroutine SHIFT.

SHIFT, as the name implies, causes each profile point to be shifted by DELTA inches to the rear of the vehicle. The main program then sets the first profile point to equal YIN and continues.

Next, the differential equations are solved. For each RKG step between profile points, the suspension forces are calculated by a subroutine called WHEELS.

The first thing done by WHEELS is the computation of the forces on each axle (FORCW). It uses the same method as before to determine radial tire-model spring deflections, DELTA:

$$\text{DELTA}_j = Y_k - \text{THRESH}_j - Z_j$$

where j = axle number

no negative values of DELTA are allowed

Y_k = elevation of the profile point under the k -th spring

The axle forces (FORCW) are:

$$\text{FORCW}_j = \sum_{i=1}^{\text{NSEGS}} \text{DELTA}_i * \text{GAMMA}_i \quad (j=1,2,3)$$

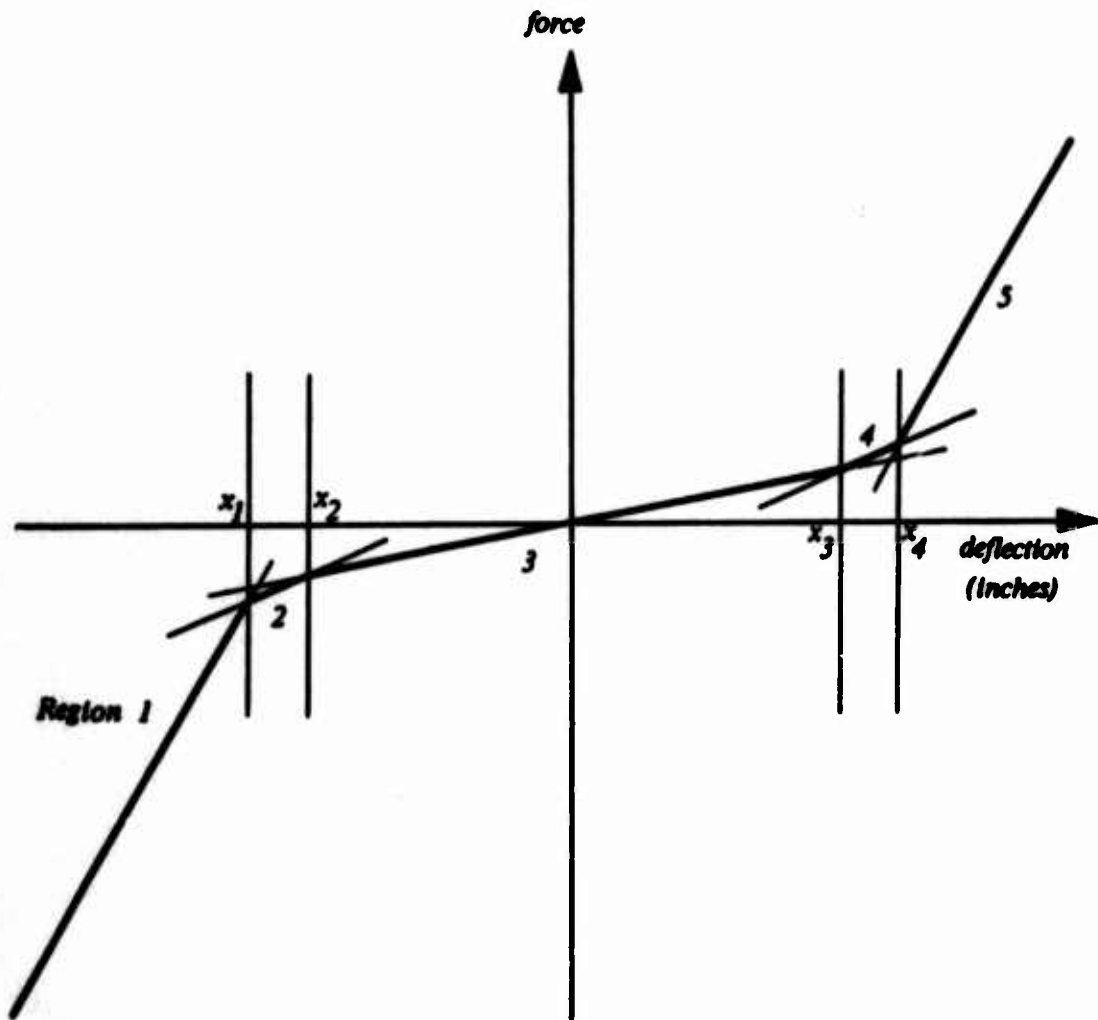


Figure 11. Segmented-Linear Spring Force Approximation

The simulation of the suspension damping function is essentially the same. Details are given in Appendix C.

Thus, after computing the suspension spring deflection (SPDEF) and deflection velocity (DSPDV), subroutine WHEELS compares their values with the region limits, decides which equations to use, and computes the suspension forces (FORCK and DAMP).

Execution then returns to the main program, which immediately calls subroutine RUNGE, the RKG integration scheme. Next, if the absorbed power option is requested, subroutines POWER and RUNGE are used to compute it.

The concept of absorbed power in mobility research appeared as an attempt to resolve the confusion in driver vibration limits exhibited by Figure 1. It was theorized by Lee, Pradko and others^{3,4} that the driver will adjust the vehicle conditions (e.g., speed) so that he can completely absorb, by flexing and unflexing his muscles, all the power of the vibrations he receives from the vehicle in order to keep his eyes or hands steady to see clearly and operate the vehicle controls. A series of experiments indicated a great deal of merit in the concept and determined that 6 watts was a general level of power that the human can or is willing to absorb during driving. This has been accepted by many investigators in ride dynamics, not so much as an ultimate truth but as the best available now.

In the course of these studies several ways of calculating absorbed power were developed (the first three reported in Lee and Pradko³):

A. For infinite averaging time:

$$\text{average absorbed power} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T F(t)v(t)dt$$

where: $F(t)$ = input force to the driver support (e.g., seat)

$V(t)$ = input velocity of the driver support

B. For a finite averaging time:

$$\frac{1}{\omega_n^2} \frac{d^2 P(t)}{dt^2} + \frac{dP(t)}{dt} \left(\frac{2\delta}{\omega_n} \right) + P(t) = KF(t) V(t)$$

$P(t)$ = finite average absorbed power

δ = damping factor

ω_n = lowest frequency to be averaged (rad/sec)

$F(t)$ = input force to the driver support

$V(t)$ = input velocity to the driver support

K = conversion constant

C. In the frequency domain, it can be computed:

$$P = \sum_{i=0}^N K(f_i)(\text{RMS}_A(f_i))$$

where P = finite average absorbed power

$K(f_i)$ = parameter dependent on frequency i

$\text{RMS}_A(f_i)$ = RMS acceleration at frequency i

Tables of $K(f_i)$ are given in Reference 3.

D. Recently, work has been done at WES to create an algorithm to compute absorbed power in the time domain. The result was the following

set of equations, derived from the analog circuits shown in Figure 12. $a(t)$ is the acceleration of the driver support, the other variables may be considered as intermediate quantities needed in the calculation of absorbed power.

$$\dot{x}_{11} = -0.1755 a(t) - 2.742 u_2$$

$$\dot{x}_{10} = -1.755 a(t) - 388.8 x_{11} - 46.67 x_{10}$$

$$u_2 = -0.1755 a(t) - 1.042 x_{10}$$

$$\dot{x}_9 = -10 u_2 - 6.249 u_1$$

$$\dot{x}_8 = -10 u_2 - 78.59 x_9 - 55.28 x_8$$

$$u_1 = u_2 - 3.246 x_8$$

$$\dot{x}_7 = -100 u_1 - 47.78 u_0$$

$$\dot{x}_6 = -10 u_1 + 71.6 x_7 - 53.49 x_6$$

$$u_0 = -u_1 + 1.318 x_6$$

$$\dot{x}_5 = -100 u_0 - 59 x_5$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -0.01294 a(t)$$

$$\dot{x}_1 = 0.00873 x_2 x_5$$

$$PWR = \frac{100 x_1}{t}$$

In a study yet to be published, Murphy has found this latter algorithm to be accurate within the frequency range of interest (.50 to 20 cps). His version of subroutine POWER was used in the program.

After the integration scheme is completed for each step, the output scaling is accomplished, RMS accelerations are calculated, and a new profile point is obtained from FILIN to begin the integration loop anew.

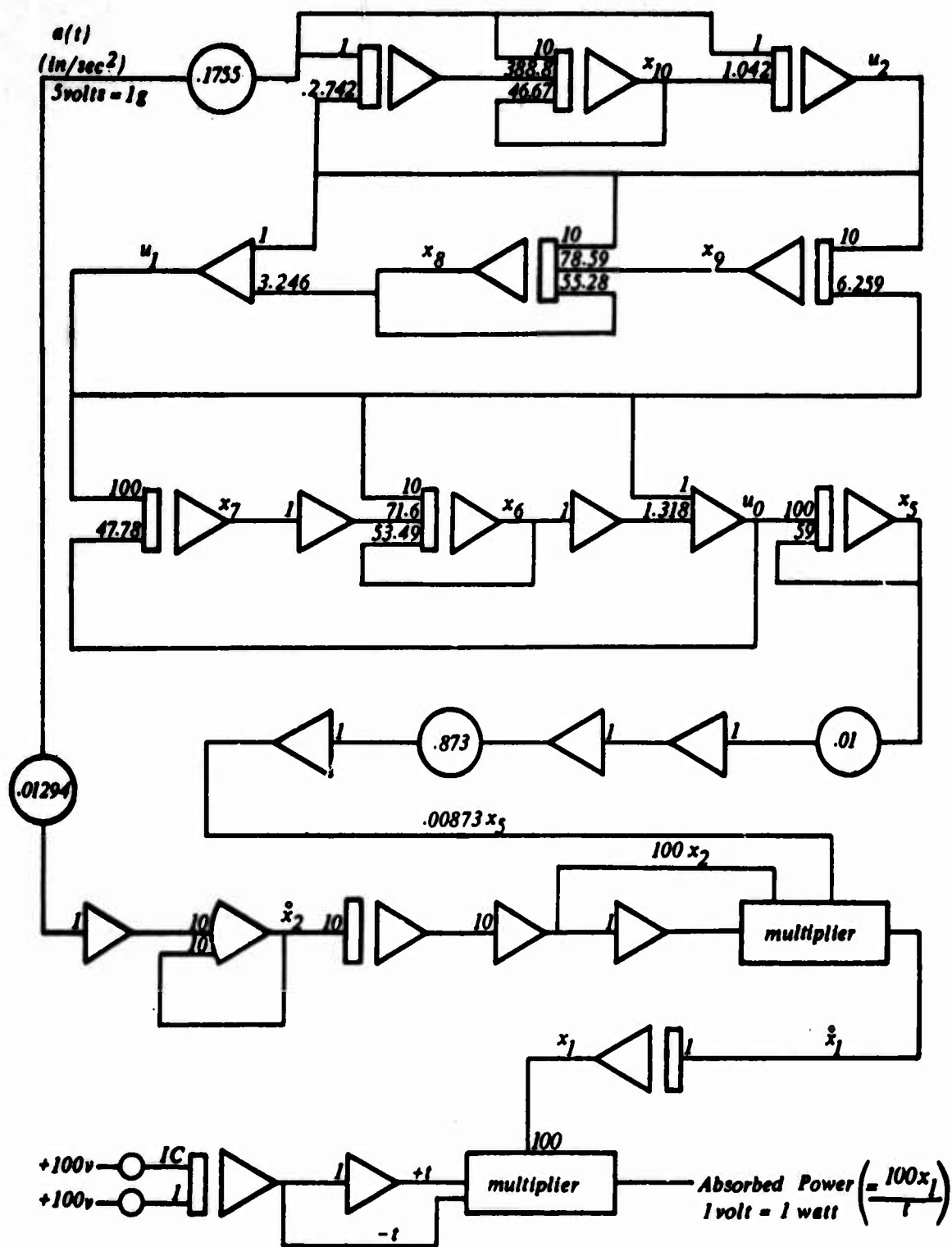


Figure 12. Analog Circuit for Absorbed Power Computation given by Murphy

TEST PROCEDURE AND RESULTS

1. The first objective, as stated previously, was to test the sensitivity of the vehicle simulation to changes in the PSD slope of the input terrain profile.

Six terrain profiles were created, using NOIPSD, with PSD slopes ranging from -0.6 to -2.3. Each profile had 1200 points spaced at 4-inch intervals and an RMS elevation of 4.0 inches. The inputs to NOIPSD for creation of these profiles are repeated in Table 2.

Table 2
(valid for $\tau = 4.0$)

Desired Slope	Use NG of	Use α of
-0.60	2	.2575
-1.20	19	.0888
-1.85	13	.0129
-2.00	7	.0052
-2.15	11	.00138
-2.30	3	.00016

For PSD estimation, a low cut-off frequency (FLOW) of .0002 was used in each case. This caused the zero-frequency estimation to be deleted while all others were used in the curve-fitting routine. The zero-frequency (or infinite wavelength) component of the terrain profile would have no effect on the vehicle simulation. The resultant

PSD data and equations are shown in Figures 13 through 18. Figure 19 shows all six equations superimposed for comparison.

Figures 20 through 22 show the initial 40 feet of the terrain profiles. The vertical scales of the profiles are distorted by a factor of eight, so they appear rougher than they should. The high frequency component can be seen to decrease as the PSD slope becomes larger, which conforms to the expected trend.

Originally each vehicle was to be exercised over each profile, and by trial and error, a "critical speed" determined. This critical speed was defined as that speed at which the vehicle exhibited six watts absorbed power at the driver's seat. The M151 Jeep simulation was exercised first. Each simulation was run until the absorbed power seemed to stabilize (until several consecutive values were very close). This normally took from 4-6 seconds of real time. The following results were thus obtained:

Table 3

PSD Slope	M151 Critical Speed (mph)
-0.60	2
-1.20	2
-1.85	4
-2.00	5
-2.15	10
-2.30	17

This data is plotted in Figure 21. At the end of one of the last runs,

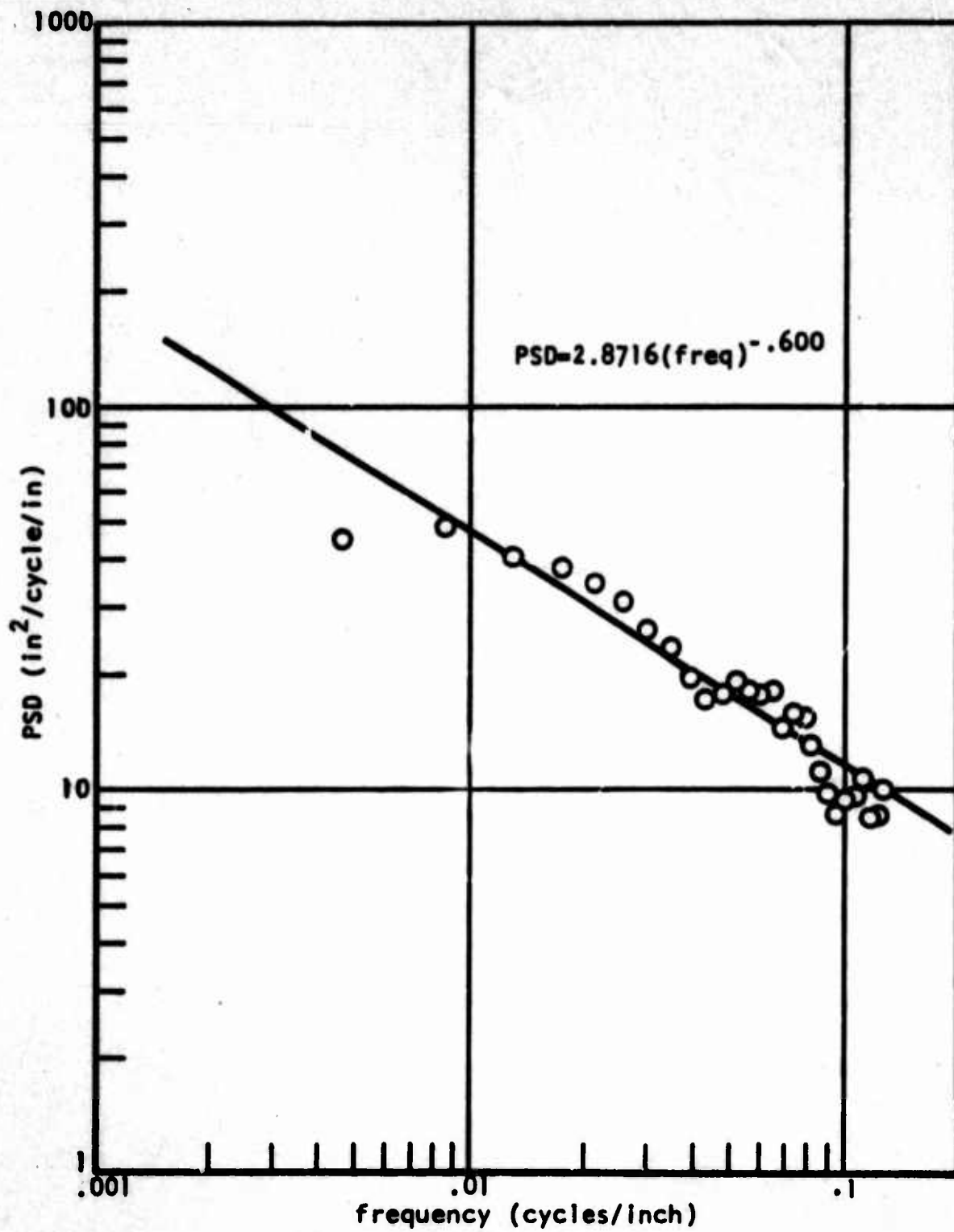


Figure 13. PSD of Profile 1

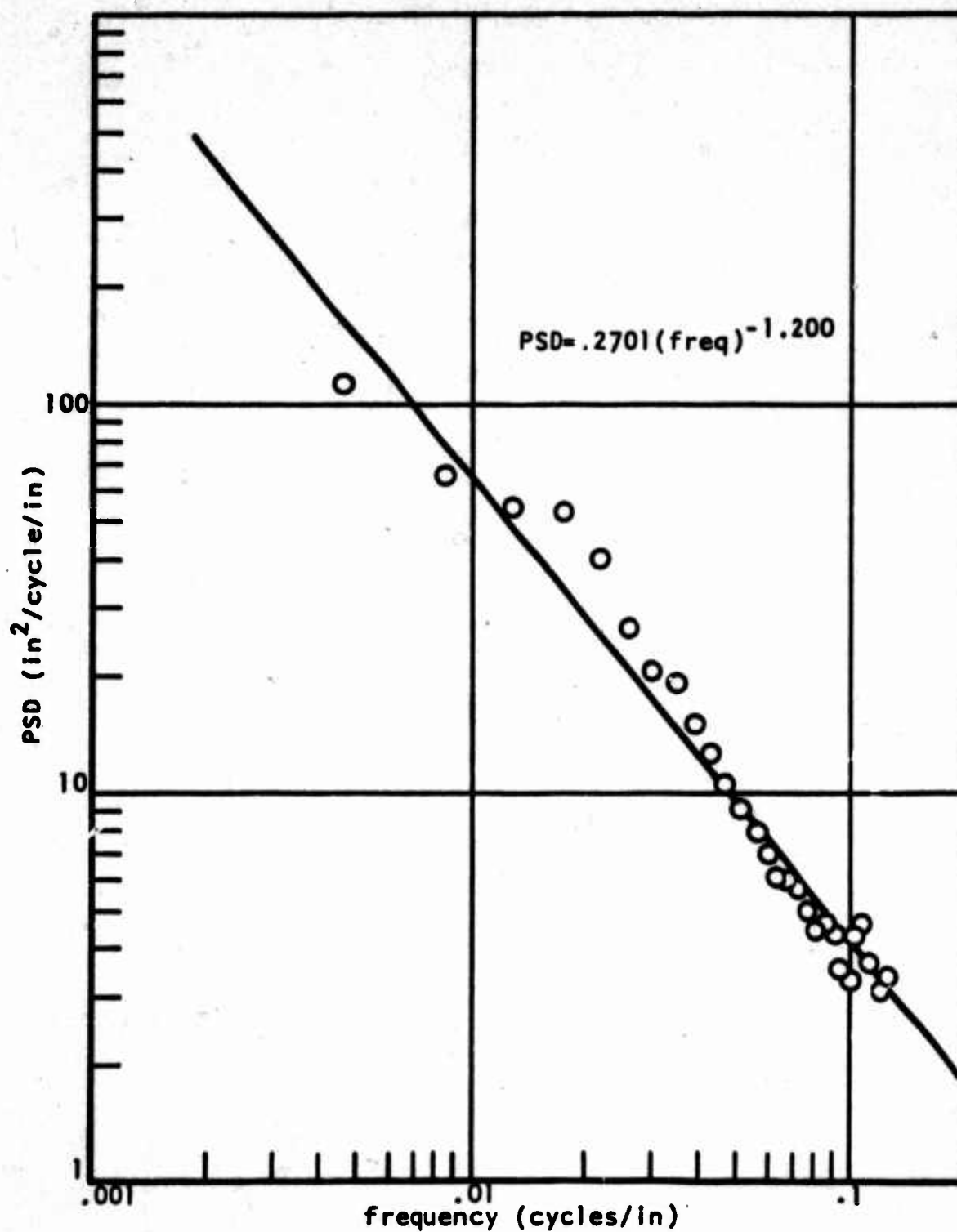


Figure 14. PSD of Profile 2

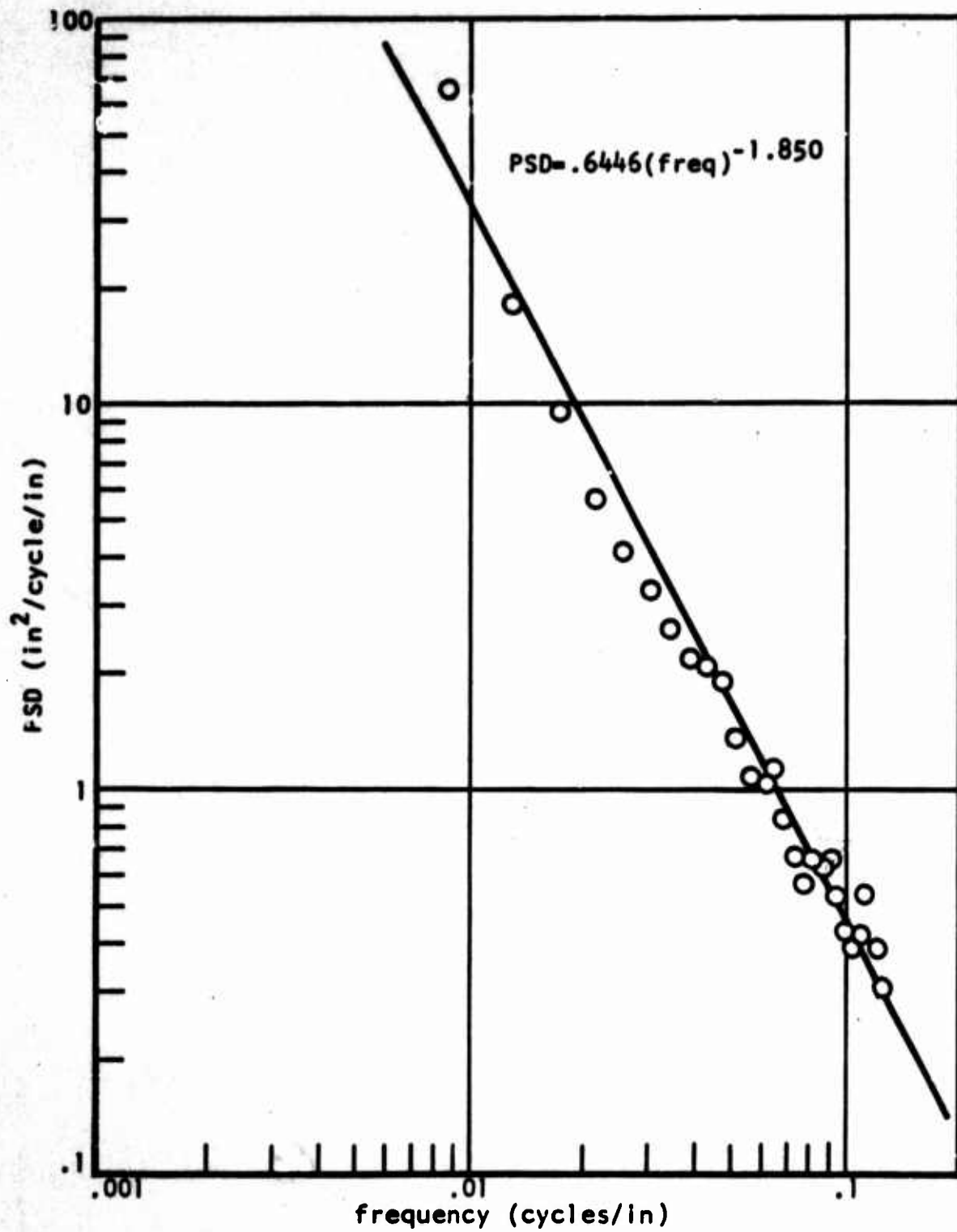


Figure 15. PSD of Profile 3

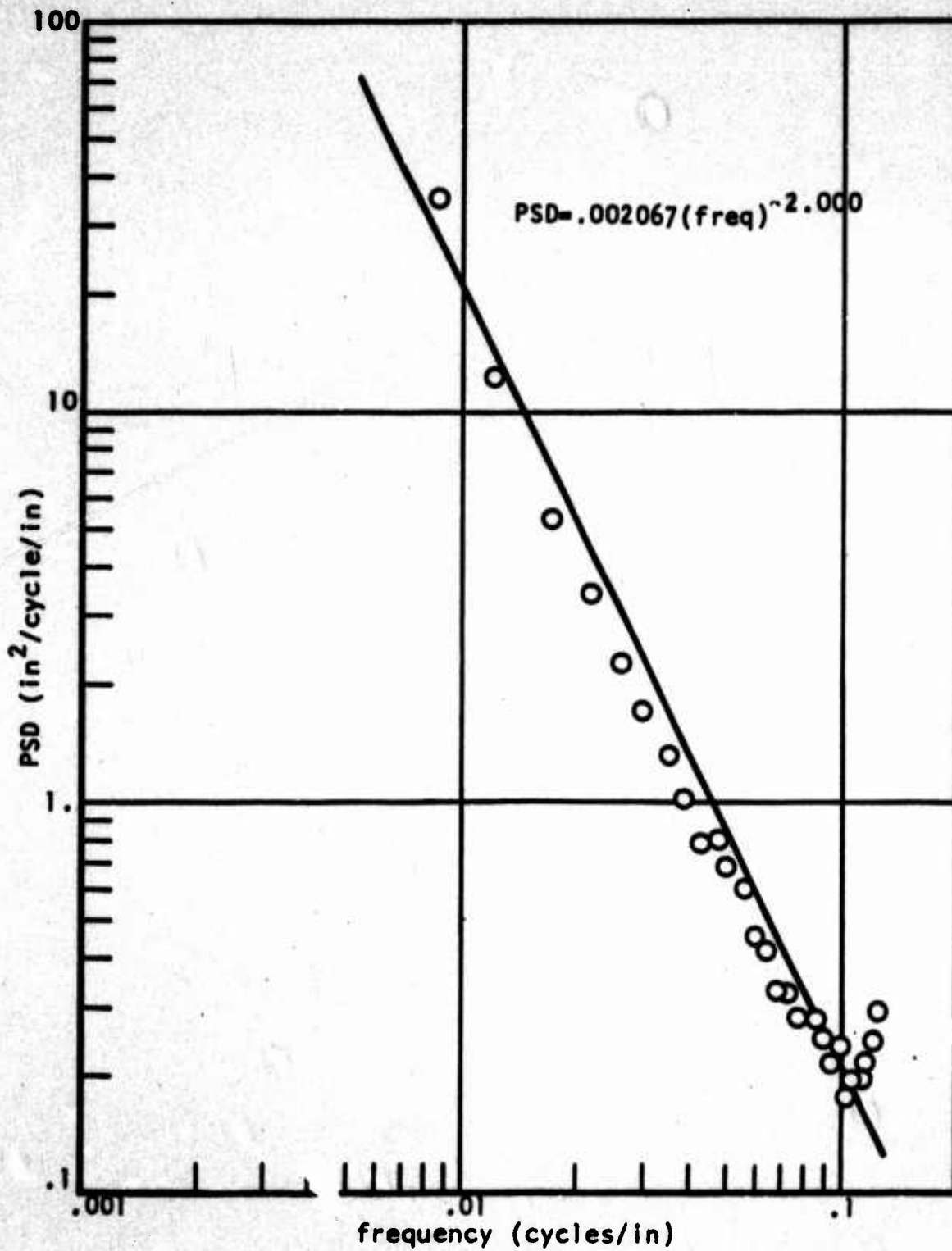
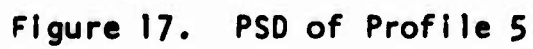


Figure 16. PSD of Profile 4



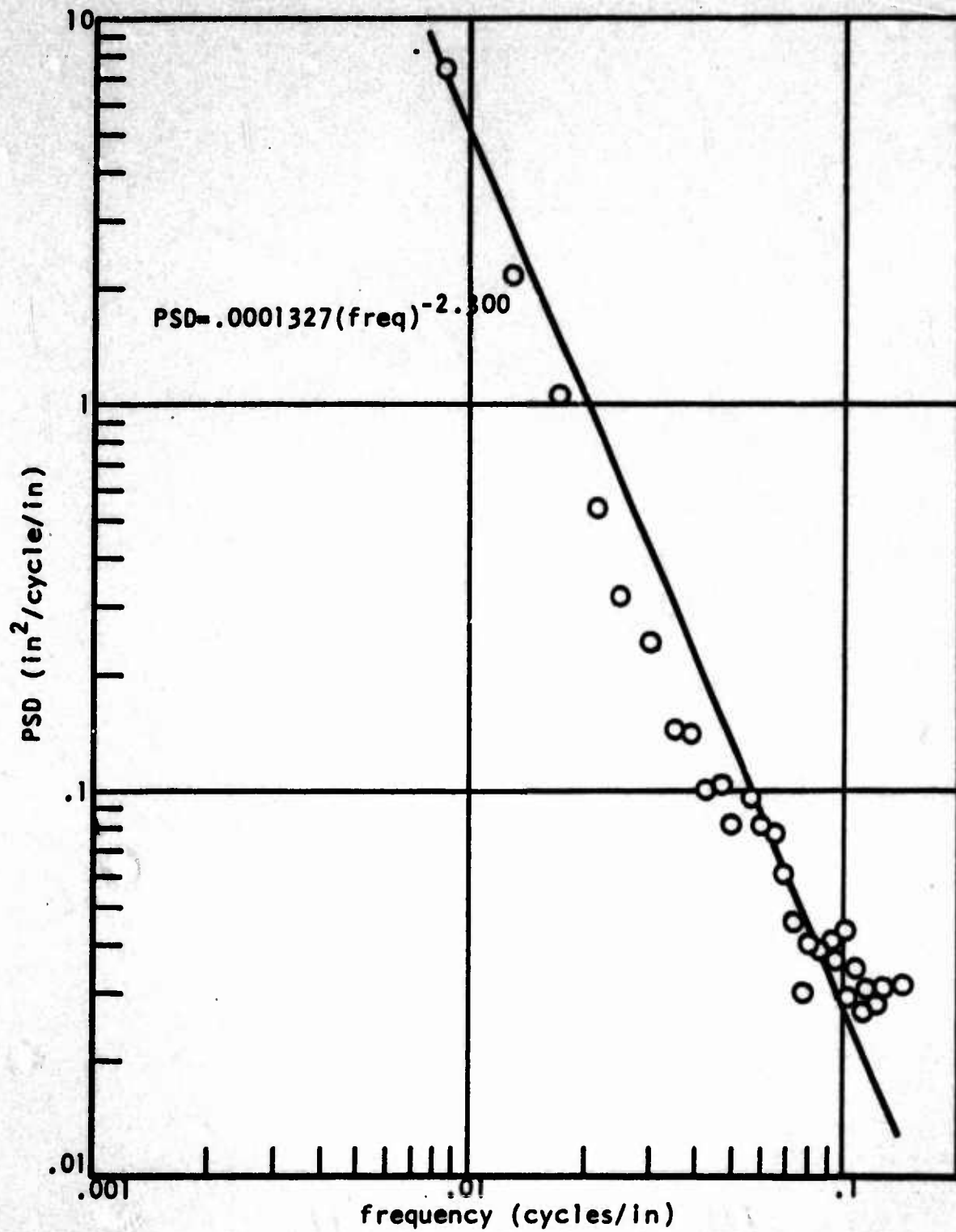


Figure 18. PSD of Profile 6

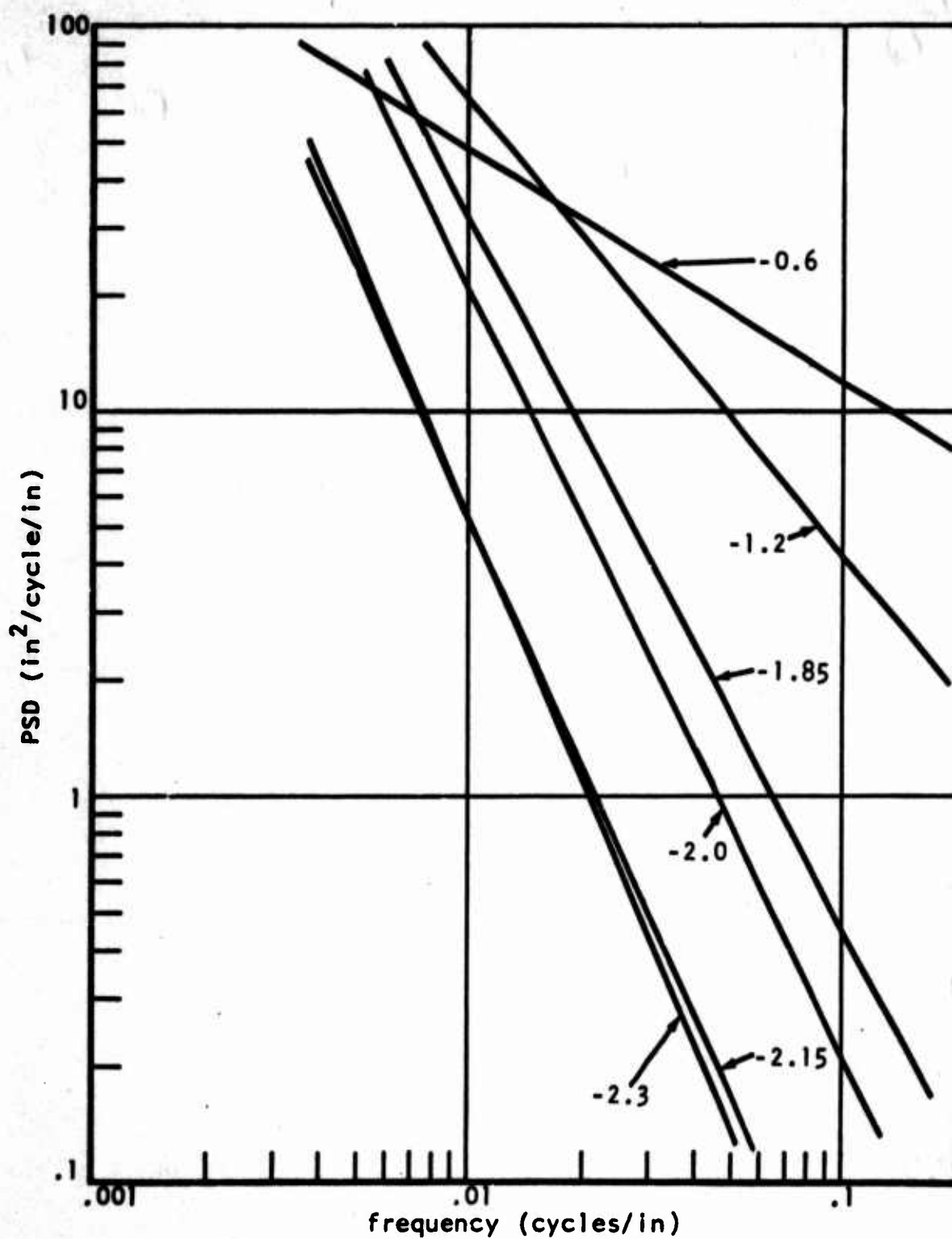


Figure 19. Comparison of PSD Curves

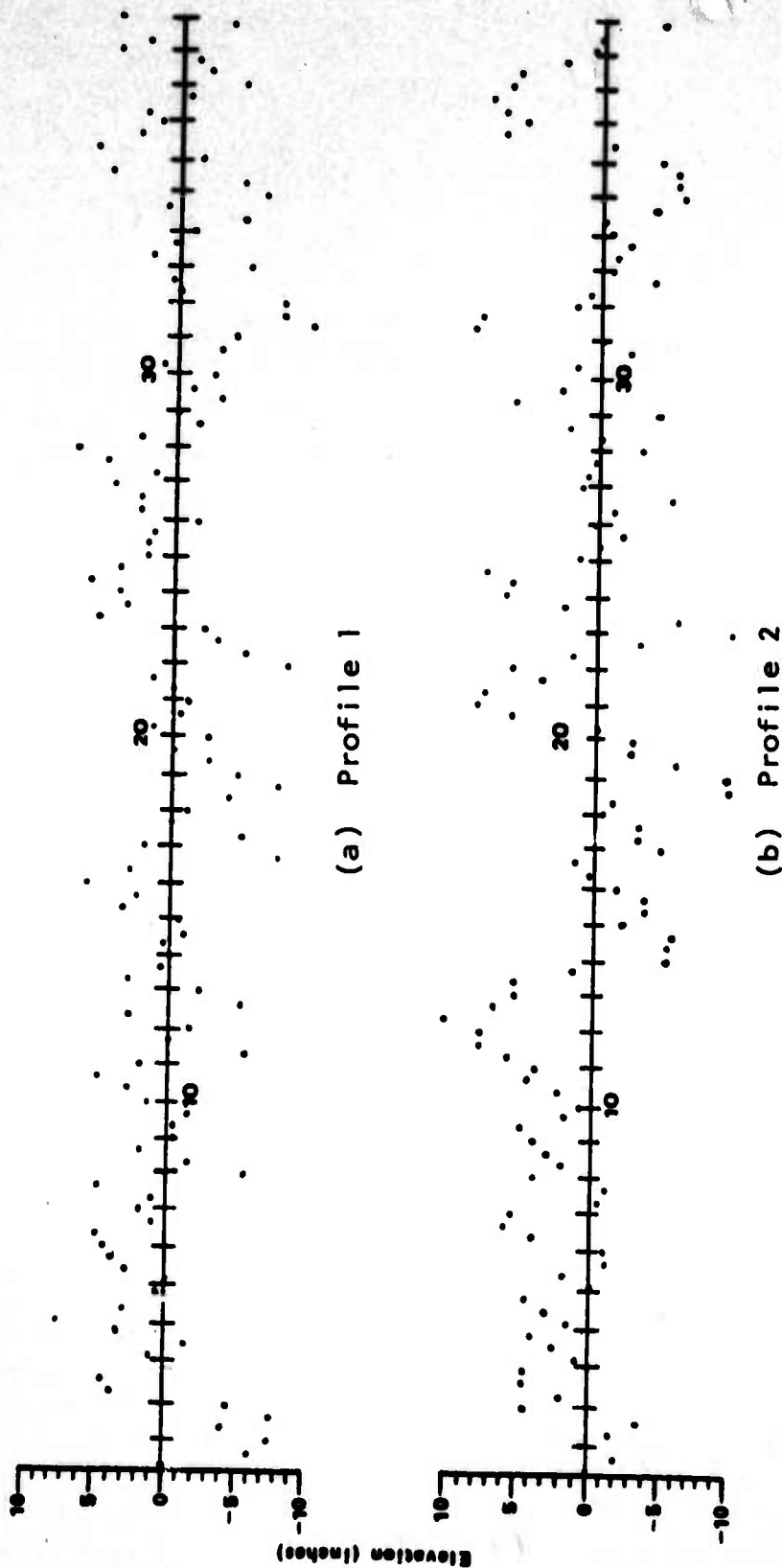
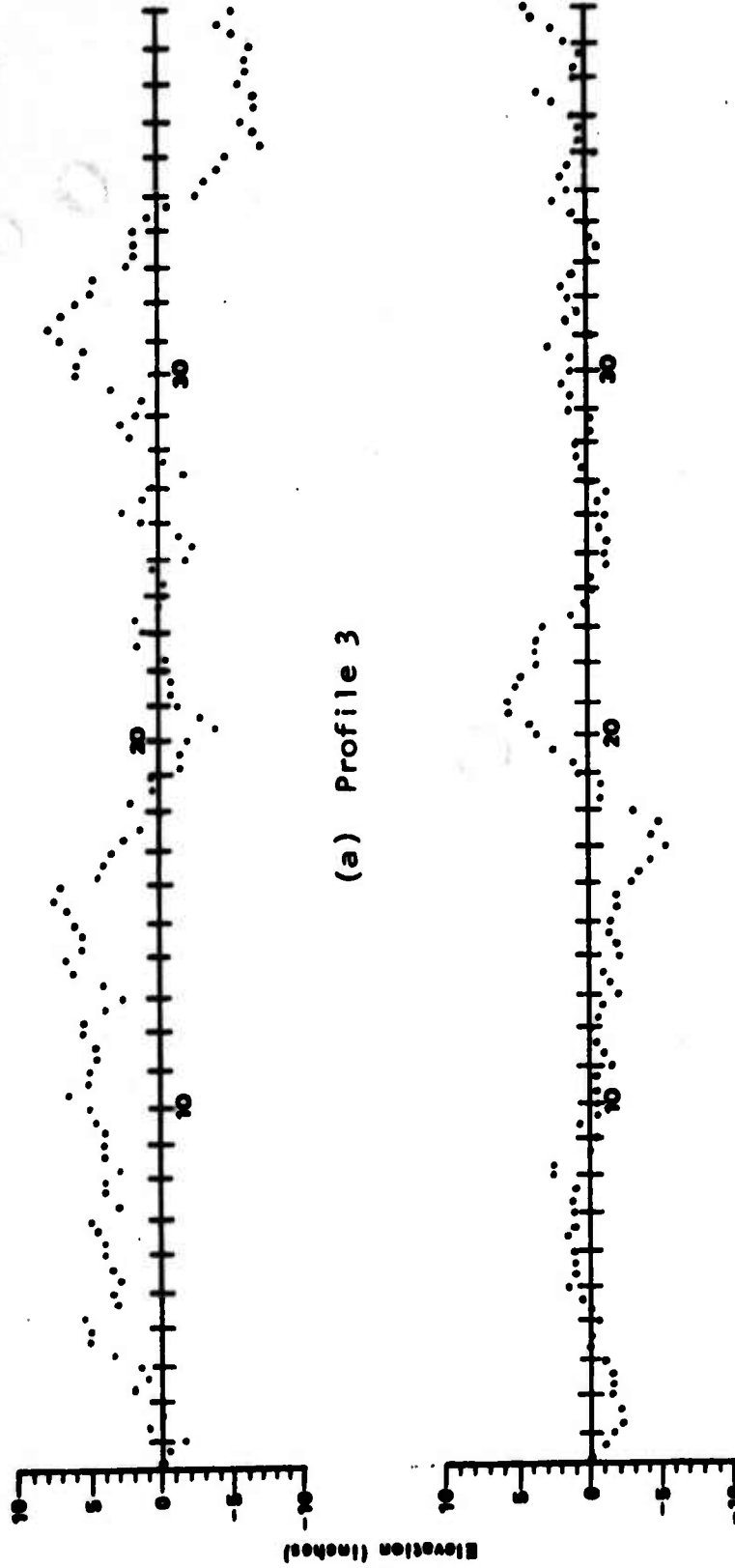


Figure 20. Section of Profiles 1 and 2
(NOTE: horizontal scale in feet)



(a) Profile 3

(b) Profile 4

Figure 21. Section of Profiles 3 and 4
(NOTE: horizontal scale in feet)

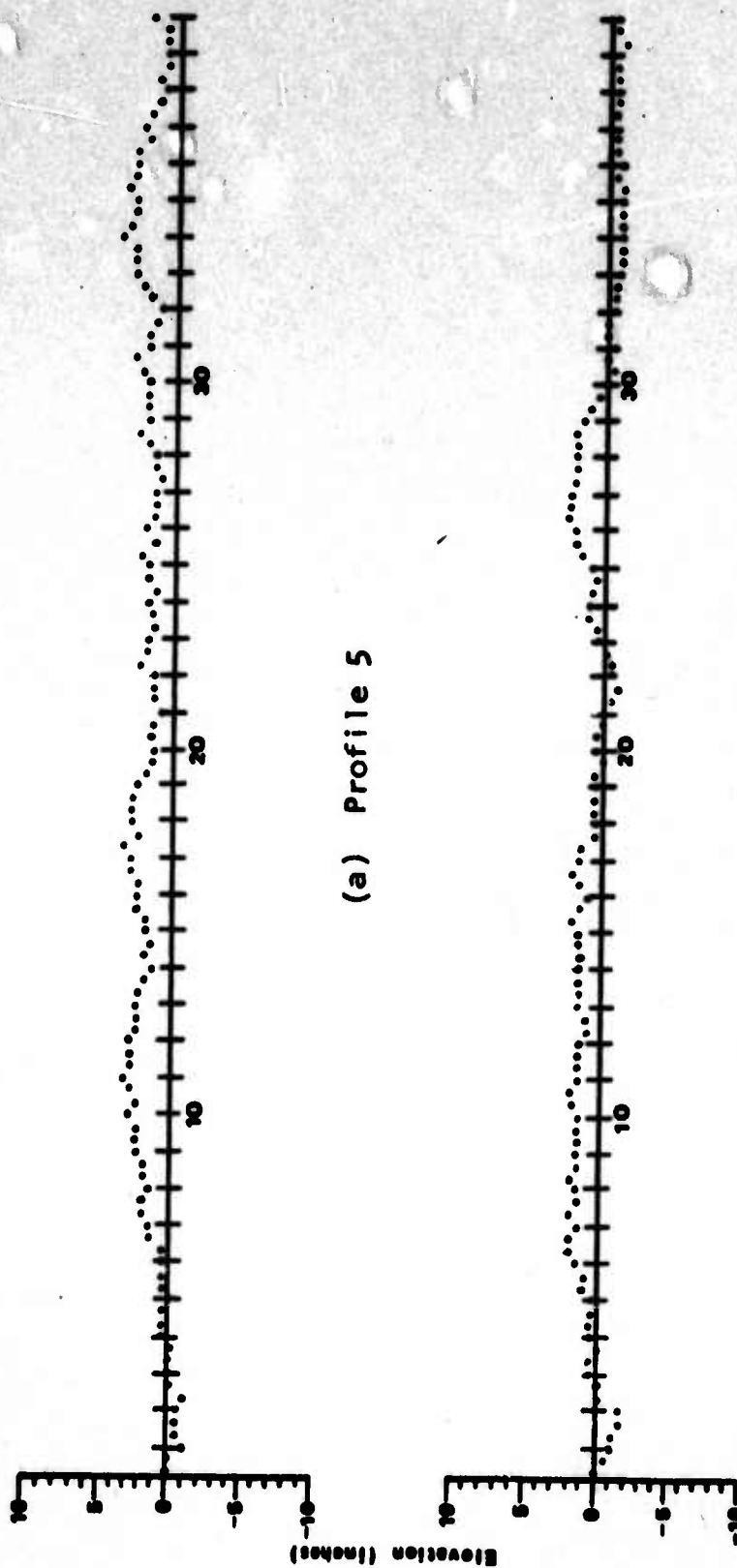


Figure 22. Section of Profiles 5 and 6
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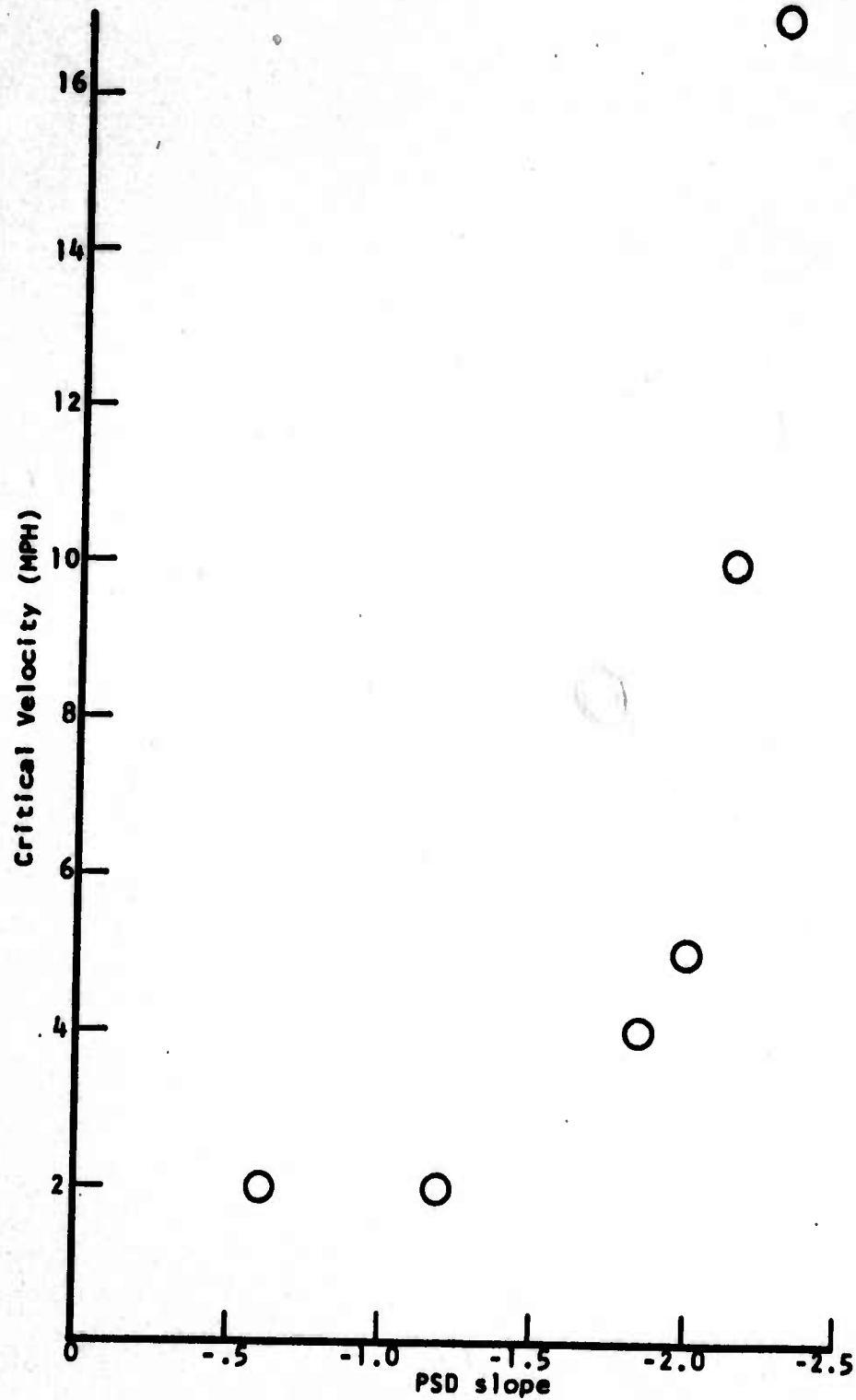


Figure 23. Results of M151
Critical Velocity Tests

however, the absorbed power jumped up sharply. To determine what may have happened, the M151 was exercised over one entire terrain (slope of -2.3) at a velocity of eleven miles per hour. The absorbed power was plotted using a special computer program, PWRPLT (see Appendix D). For this execution the absorbed power leveled off at a value of 5.3 watts after about 18 seconds of real time, as compared to where it began to level off at 3.4 watts around 6 seconds. Thus, the critical speeds determined for the M151 indicate the sensitivity of the simulation but can be assumed to be about 50 percent too high.

Since it took four or five runs to find each critical speed, it was determined that to continue the "critical speed" approach would increase the cost of the program by a factor of from 3 to 5. Since the necessary funds were not available, a slightly different approach was taken.

First, each vehicle was exercised over each terrain profile at 5 mph and at 18 mph. These two speeds are near the relative minimum and maximum of off-road mobility expectations and should exercise each vehicle in most of its tolerance range.

Second, instead of measuring discrete absorbed power values, a new subprogram, AVERAGE was written to compute a running average and PWRPLT was used to plot the average absorbed power.

Each vehicle-profile combination underwent a 15-20 second simulation. The final average absorbed power was used to determine simulation sensitivity to the PSD slope of the input terrain profile.

The results are given in Figures 24 and 25.

Unfortunately, at both 5 mph and 18 mph on the terrains with PSD slopes of -0.6 and -1.2, both vehicles exhibited large pitch variations. Since a small pitch angle approximation was used to derive the vehicle simulation, all data on those profiles was considered invalid and is not included in the analysis.

There is no scientific reason to draw a straight line between the two points at each slope. In fact, according to Murphy's data,¹ the lines should probably be concave downward (second derivative of the power with respect to slope negative). The lines are drawn simply to enhance visual comparison. Even a hasty inspection makes one thing obvious -- the vehicle model is extremely sensitive to the PSD slope of the terrain profile input. Of significant interest is the sensitivity in the region from -2.0 to -2.15, since many natural terrains fall into this region. The overlapping of the lower two lines is probably due to statistical scatter in the profile generation process.

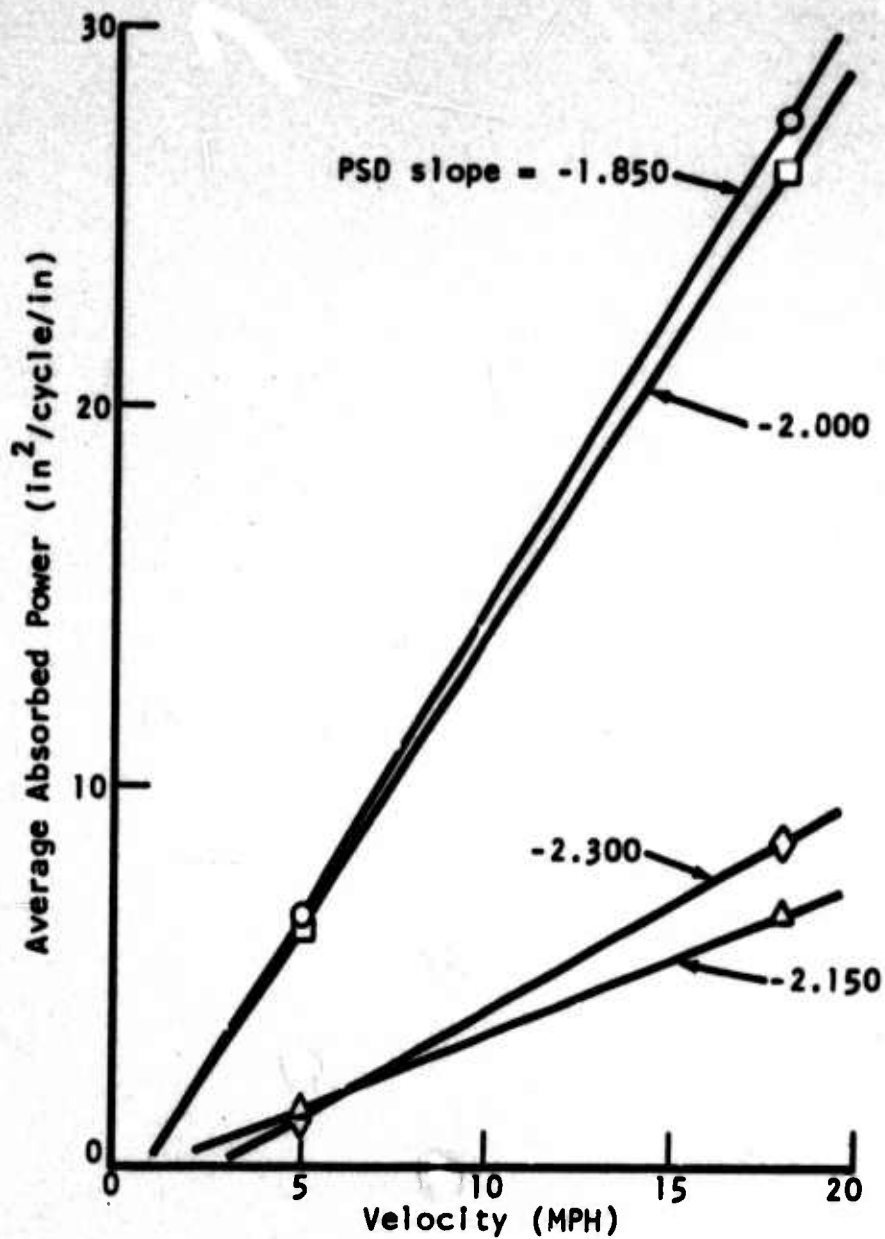


Figure 24. Results of M151 Average Absorbed Power Tests

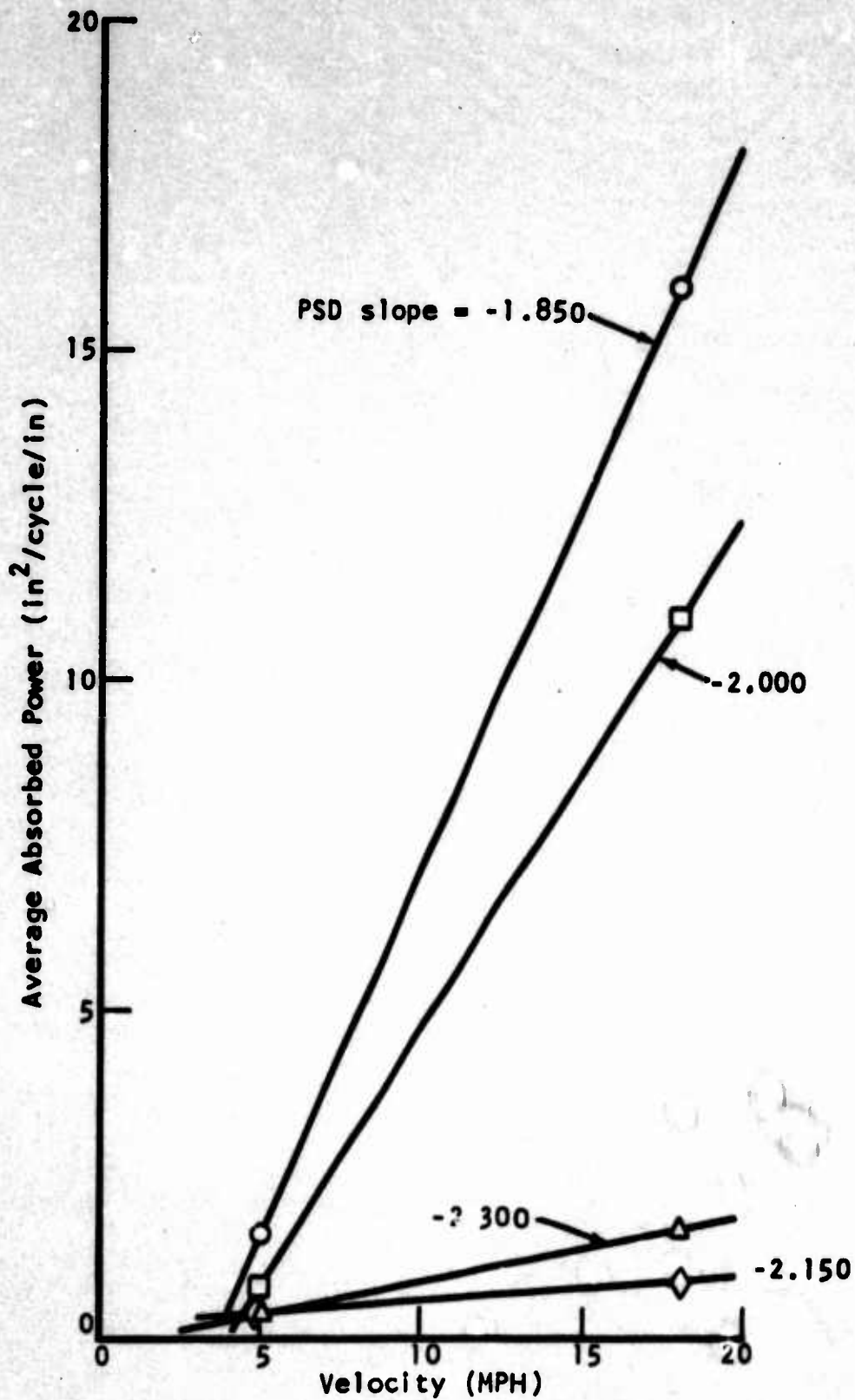
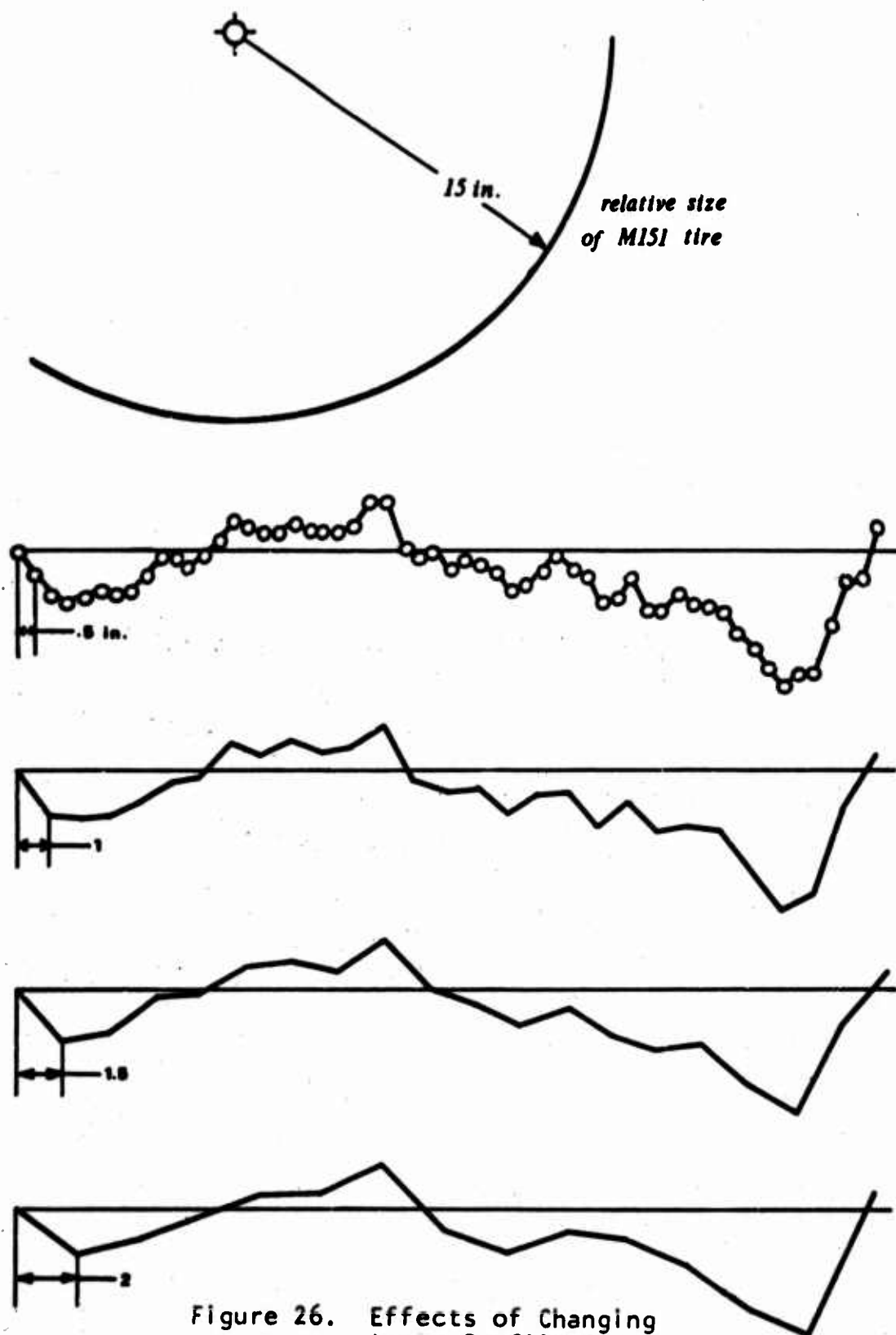
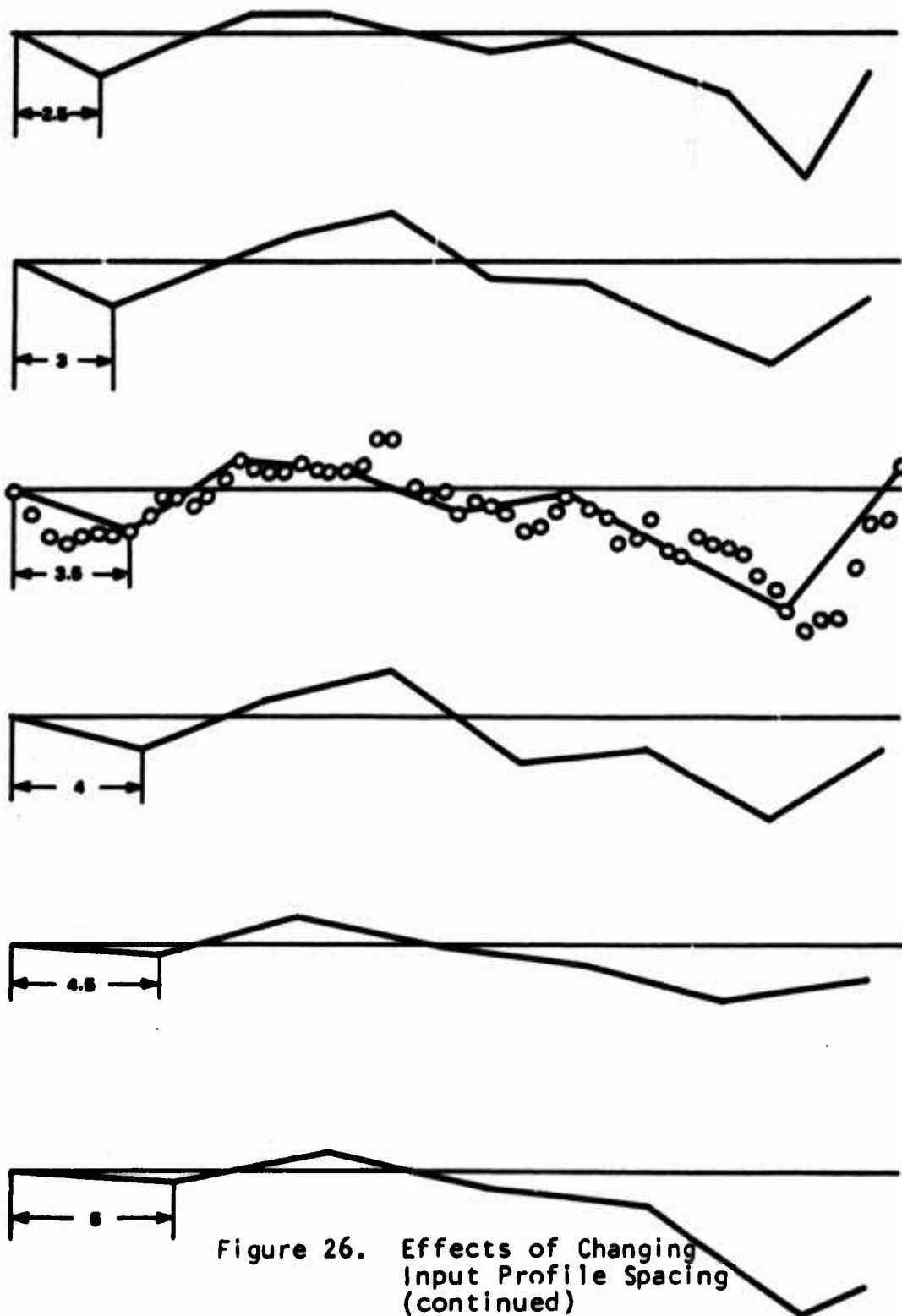


Figure 25. Results of M35 Average Absorbed Power Tests

11. The second objective of this research was to study the sensitivity of the simulation to changes in profile spacing. One random profile was created using NOIPSD with a profile spacing of 0.5 inch. One may think of this profile as constant, as if it existed in Nature somewhere. As the profile spacing (measurement interval) is changed, the profile itself will not be altered. What will change is the distance between points which are used as input to the vehicle simulation. The first few feet are shown in Figure 26(a). Since straight lines are used to interpolate between points in the vehicle simulation, they are drawn between them in the figure. If a one inch interval is desired, every other point is "read" by the computer and the result is a profile as in Figure 26 (b). The measurement interval is increased by .5 inch increments in Figures 26 (b-j). Note that as the measurement interval increases, the profile appears to become smoother as the valleys are bridged and the peaks flattened by the linear interpolation scheme. The 1/2-inch-interval points are repeated in Figure 26 (g) for comparison. Note how the first valley has been gradually disappearing and the peak is completely flat.

For this test, an RMS elevation of 1.0 inch was chosen in order to depict a more natural terrain. A PSD of slope -1.850 was specified to keep away from the 2.000-2.150 instability region. The desired profile was obtained from NOIPSD, stipulating $NG = 7$, $N = 1800$, $RMS = 1.0$ and $\gamma = .046$ in the input phase. The final PSD equation was $PSD = .001134 (\text{freq})^{-1.850}$ (see Figure 27).





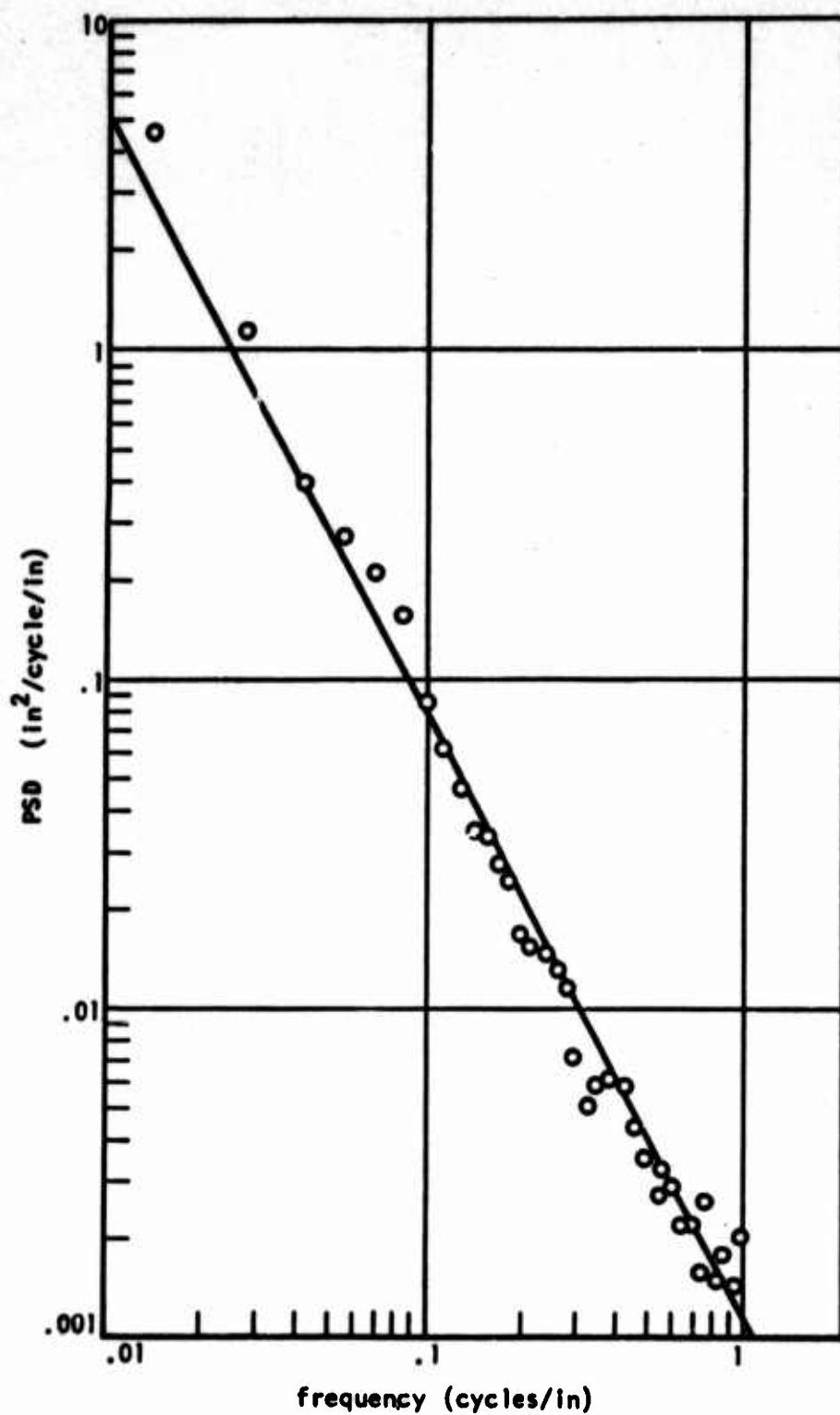


Figure 27. PSD of Profile Used for Measurement Interval Tests

Each vehicle simulation was then exercised over the profile at different measurement intervals. Velocity was maintained at ten miles per hour. The simulation was exercised until a steady-state absorbed power level was reached and the average absorbed power was used to compare results. Table 4 and Figure 28 show the results.

Note that the average absorbed power for the M35 maintains an essentially constant level throughout the tested range of measurement interval. In fact, at sixteen inches, the tire model consists of only one vertical spring -- a "point follower." Thus it appears that for the M35 truck and probably for other heavy, long-wheelbase trucks, a "point follower" tire model is sufficient.

For the M151 Jeep, however, the plot shows a steady decrease in average absorbed power, after about 2.5 or 3.0 inches. For the M151 and probably for all short-wheelbase, small-tired vehicles, it is obvious that a smaller measurement interval is required to provide numerically stable absorbed power values. The data indicate that an interval of as low as 2.5 inches is necessary. For profiles with higher RMS elevations, the interval may be even smaller.

Table 4

<u>Measurement Interval</u> (Inches)	<u>Average Absorbed Power</u> (watts)	
	<u>M151</u>	<u>M35</u>
1.0	7.206	1.328
1.5	7.000	1.207
2.0	7.221	1.298
2.5	6.740	1.276
3.0	7.819	1.377
3.5	6.085	1.234
4.0	8.734	1.318
4.5	7.129	1.404
5.0	5.094	1.254
6.0	6.236	1.186
9.0	4.329	1.082
12.0	4.256	1.016
16.0	-	1.321

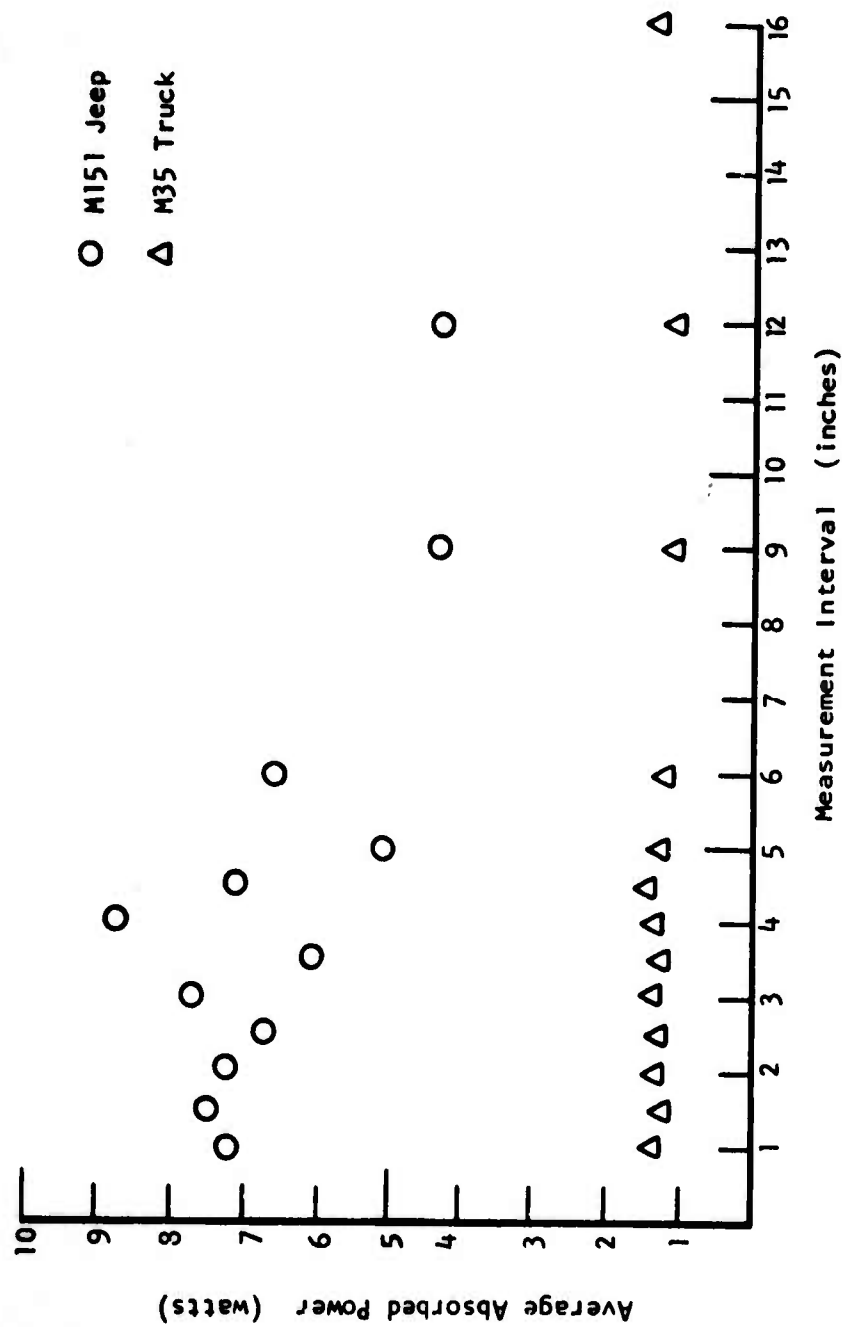


Figure 28. Results of Profile Spacing Variation on Average Absorbed Power

CONCLUSIONS

1. The vehicle simulation is extremely sensitive to PSD slope, especially in the neighborhood of -2.0.
2. The vehicle simulation is sensitive to input profile spacing for light, short vehicles. A very small measurement interval of from 2.5 to 3 inches is necessary for numerically stable average absorbed power values.
3. The vehicle simulation is relatively insensitive to variations in measurement interval for heavy, large vehicles. Thus a much longer measurement interval is possible and a vastly simpler tire model can be used.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the sensitivity of the model be further tested using terrains differing in PSD slope by much smaller increments between -1.85 (or even -1.70) and -2.30.

2. That the M35 simulation be further tested for sensitivity over terrain profiles with greater RMS elevations and different slopes.

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APPENDIX A(Documentation of NOIPSD)

I. DESCRIPTION: This program is a combination of Murphy's two programs NOISE1 and PSD. It first generates, using Gaussian noise, a random terrain profile with zero mean and specified RMS elevation.

II. INPUTS AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS:**A. Prior to execution:**

1. The equation $FLAG = 6 \cdot N / (TAU \cdot 62)$ is written assuming 20 equivalent degrees of freedom. It comes from Blackman and Tukey, sections B.23 and B.24.⁴
2. The PSD estimates are smoothed by hamming. If other smoothing is desired, the appropriate parts of the program must be changed.

B. During execution:

1. NG: May be any number, but to insure differences among profiles, a prime number should be used.
2. SHORT TYPE OUT: Answer YES or NO.
 - a. YES causes a reduction in program options, setting $TAU = 4.0$, $RMS = 4.0$, $N = 1200$, and no output files are created.
 - b. NO causes the program to run normally, with all options open.
3. In put of TAU, N, and RMS: If no new values are entered, the program will set them to 4.0, 1200, and 4.0 respectively.

4. ALPHA: This is the parameter used to adjust the slope of the PSD curve.
5. FILES? Answer YES or NO.
 - a. YES causes the program to ask for file names, which are entered if required. If no entry is made for either, that file will not be opened.
 - b. NO causes no files to be created.
6. FLOW = : Enter the desired low cut-off frequency. If zero is entered, the program will set FLOW equal to .0002, which normally causes only the zero frequency estimate to be deleted.

III. OUTPUTS:

A. PSD file:

1. PSD equation in the form: $PSD = C(freq)^n$, where C is the intercept at frequency = 1.0 on the log-log curve. With PSD on the vertical axis, n is the slope of the curve -- a straight line.
2. RMS: This is the actual RMS as opposed to the desired RMS.
3. Power: The area under the PSD curve.
4. Number of Points: Number of points in profile.
5. Cut-off frequencies, low and high.
6. Points that were used in the square fit by sequence numbers.
7. List of frequencies and PSD estimates, five points to a line. Only the points used in the square fit are listed.

8. List of the points not used in the square fit.
- B. Road file: Used as input to VEH.
1. The profile segment spacing in inches.
 2. A line of identifying information.
 3. The profile points in order, ten points per line.
- C. Teletype:
1. RMS.
 2. PSD equation. (If short type out is selected, only the slope of the PSD curve is printed out; none of the following are listed)
 3. RMS, power, and number of points fitted by the above equation.
 4. SD. (Standard deviation of the points from zero)
 5. XBARAS: Mean of the profile after shift.
 6. File names for output data. (If -----.DAT is typed out, no file was created.)

IV. SAMPLE EXECUTION:

A. Normal:

.EXECUTE NOIPSD
LOADING

LOADER 9K CORE
EXECUTION

NG = 7

SHORT TYPE OUT? NO

TAU=4.0, N=1200, RMS=4.0 UNLESS SPECIFIED NOW:

ALPHA = .0052

LLAG = 30

FILES? YES

PSD FILE NAME: PSD4

ROAD FILE NAME: ROAD4

AUTO-COVAR. IS COMPUTED

RMS = 4.000000

PSD IS FINISHED

FLOW = .0002

-2.000

PSD = 0.2067366E-02 FREQ

RMS = 4.000000

POWER = 3.673574

EQN FITS PTS 2 THRU 30

SD = 0.6519456

XBARAS = 0.0000000

FILE FOR PSD PLOT: PSD4 .DAT

FILE FOR ROAD PLOT: ROAD4.DAT

EXECUTION TIME: 11.73 SEC.

TOTAL ELAPSED TIME: 2 MIN. 3.37 SEC.

NO EXECUTION ERRORS DETECTED

EXIT

B. Abbreviated:

.EXECUTE NOIPSD
LOADING

LOADER 9K CORE
EXECUTION

NG = 7

SHORT TYPE OUT? YES
ALPHA = .0052

SLOPE=-2.000

EXECUTION TIME: 6.40 SEC.
TOTAL ELAPSED TIME: 24.75 SEC.
NO EXECUTION ERRORS DETECTED

EXIT

V. PROGRAM LISTING:

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010      DIMENSION X(1200),DX(1200),FREQ(257)
020      DIMENSION RX(250),PX(250),SPX(250)
030      COMMON SD
040      WRITE(6,900)
050      900  FORMAT(' NG = ',S)
060      ACCEPT 997,NG
070      TAU=0.
080      N=0
090      RM=0.
100      WRITE(6,901)
110      901  FORMAT(' SHORT TYPE OUT? ',S)
120      ACCEPT 996, OPTYPE
130      IF(OPTYPE.EQ.'YES') GO TO 140
140      WRITE(6,902)
150      902  FORMAT(' TAU=4.0,N=1200,RMS=4.0 UNLESS'
160      *  ' SPECIFIED NOW:',S)
170      ACCEPT 903, TAU,N,RMS
180      903  FORMAT(F,I,F)
190      140  IF(TAU.EQ.0.) TAU=4.0
200      IF(RMS.EQ.0.) RMS=4.0
210      IF(N.EQ.0) N=1200
220      GO TO 160
230      150  WRITE(6,907)
240      907  FORMAT(' +ALPHA = ',S)
250      ACCEPT 998, ALPHA
260      IF(ALPHA.EQ.0.) GO TO 150
270      C *****
280      170  FHIGH=1./(2.*TAU)
290      FLAG=6.*N/(TAU*62.)
300      LLAG=FIX(FLAG+.5)
310      LAG=LLAG-1
320      IF(OPTYPE.EQ.'YES') GO TO 190
330      WRITE(6,908) LLAG
340      908  FORMAT(' +LLAG = ',I4,/)
350      180  WRITE(6,909)
360      909  FORMAT(' +FILES? ',S)
370      ACCEPT 996,OPFIL
380      IF(OPFIL.EQ.'NO') GO TO 190
390      WRITE(6,910)
400      910  FORMAT(' +PSD FILE NAME: ',S)
410      ACCEPT 996, FN1
420      IF(FN1.NE.' ') CALL OFILE(21,FN1)
430      WRITE(6,911)
440      911  FORMAT(' +ROAD FILE NAME: ',S)
450      ACCEPT 996, FN2
460      IF(FN2.NE.' ') CALL OFILE(22,FN2)
470      GO TO 200

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480 190 FN1=' '
490 FN2=' '
500 C ***** SIGMAN AND ST. DEV. ARE COMPUTED
510 200 SIGMAN=RMS*SQRT(1.-EXP(-2.*ALPHA*TAU))
520 AA=EXP(-ALPHA*TAU)
530 SD=SIGMAN*SIGMAN
540 C ***** DISPLACEMENTS ARE OBTAINED
550 C ***** FROM GAUSSIAN RANDOM NUMBERS
560 SUM=0.
570 DX(N)=0.
580 NN=N-1
590 SUM1=0.
600 DO 210 I=1,NN
610 CALL GAURND(V,NG)
620 DX(I)=V
630 210 SUM=SUM+DX(I)
640 XBAR=SUM/NN
650 DO 220 I=1,NN
660 DX(I)=DX(I)-XBAR
670 220 SUM1=SUM1+DX(I)
680 XBARAS=SUM1/NN
690 FACT=1.
700 Y=0.
710 X(1)=0.
720 DO 230 I=2,N
730 230 X(I)=DX(I)+X(I-1)*AA
740 C ***** RMS IS COMPUTED AND ADJUSTED
750 C ***** TO DESIRED LEVEL
760 240 SUMX2=0.
770 DO 250 I=1,N
780 X(I)=FACT*X(I)
790 250 SUMX2=SUMX2+X(I)*X(I)
800 ARMS=SQRT(SUMX2/N)
810 FACT=ARMS/ARMS
820 Y=Y+1.
830 IF(Y.EQ.1.) GO TO 240
840 C ***** AUTO-COVARIANCE COMPUTATION
850 260 NPOINT=N
860 DO 280 I=1,LLAG
870 SX=0.
880 M=I-1
890 NX=NPOINT-M
900 FNX=FLOAT(NX)
910 DO 270 J=1,NX
920 K=M+J
930 270 SX=SX+X(J)*X(K)
940 280 RX(I)=SX/FNX
950 RMS=SQRT(RX(1))
960 IF(CTYPE.NE.'YES') WRITE(6,912) RMS
970 912 FORMAT('AUTO-COVAR. IS COMPUTED',1X,
          'RMS = ',G18.7/)

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0980 C ***** POWER SPECTRAL DENSITY COMPUTATION
0990 PI=3.14159265
1000 VV=PI/LAG
1010 W=2.*TAU/PI
1020 DELF=1/(2*LAG*TAU)
1030 RX(1)=.5*RX(1)
1040 RX(LLAG)=.5*RX(LLAG)
1050 DO 300 IH=1,LLAG
1060 SC=0.
1070 DO 290 IP=1,LLAG
1080 U=(IH-1)*(IP-1)*VV
1090 290 SC=SC+RX(IP)*COS(U)
1100 PX(IH)=W*SC
1110 300 FRFQ(IH)=(IH-1)*DELF
1120 SPX(1)=.54*PX(1)+.46*PX(2)
1130 SPX(LLAG)=.54*PX(LLAG)+.46*PX(LLAG-1)
1140 KK=LLAG-1
1150 IF(SPX(1).LT.0.) SPX(1)=0.
1160 DO 310 J=2,KK
1170 SPX(J)=.54*PX(J)+.23*(PX(J+1)+PX(J-1))
1180 310 IF(SPX(J).LT.0.) SPX(J)=0.
1190 IF(OPTYPE.NE.'YES') WRITE(6,913)
1200 913 FORMAT('PSD IS FINISHED'/)
1210 C ***** SQUARE-FIT ROUTINE
1220 FLOW=0.
1230 NS=0
1240 NF=LLAG
1250 IF(OPTYPE.NE.'YES') WRITE(6,914)
1260 914 FORMAT('FLOW = ',5)
1270 IF(OPTYPE.NE.'YES') ACCEPT 998, FLOW
1280 IF(FLOW.EQ.0.) FLOW=.0002
1290 DO 320 I=1,LLAG
1300 IF(FREQ(I).LT.FLOW) NS=NS+1
1310 320 IF(FREQ(I).GT.FHIGH) NF=NF-1
1320 RX(1)=0.
1330 PX(1)=ALOG10(SPX(1))
1340 NP=NF-NS
1350 NS=NS+1
1360 DO 340 I=NS,NF
1370 IF(SPX(I).LT.20000005) GO TO 330
1380 RX(I)=ALOG10(FREQ(I))
1390 PX(I)=ALOG10(SPX(I))
1400 GO TO 340
1410 330 PX(I)=0.
1420 RX(I)=0.
1430 NP=NP-1
1440 340 CONTINUE

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1450 C *****
1460 SUMY=0.
1470 SUMX=0.
1480 SUMXY=0.
1490 SUMX2=0.
1500 DO 350 I=NS,NF
1510 SUMY=SUMY+PX(I)
1520 SUMX=SUMX+RX(I)
1530 SUMXY=SUMXY+(PX(I)*RX(I))
1540 SUMX2=SUMX2+(RX(I)**2.)
1550 350 CONTINUE
1560 DE=NP*SUMX2-SUMX*SUMX
1570 AM=(NP*SUMXY-SUMX*SUMY)/DE
1580 B=(SUMX2*SUMY-SUMX*SUMXY)/DE
1590 P=10.**R
1600 C *****
1610 PSUM=0.
1620 DO 360 I=1,LLAG
1630 360 PSUM=PSUM+SPX(I)*DELF
1640 C ***** THE DATA IS NOW OUTPUT TO FILES
1650 C ***** AND TTY AS DESIRED
1660 IF(OPTYPE,EQ,'YES') WRITE(6,915) AM
1670 915 FORMAT(' SLOPE=',F6.3/)
1680 IF(OPTYPE,NE,'YES') WRITE(6,916) AM,B,ARMS,
1690 & PSUM,NS,NF
1700 916 FORMAT(27X,F6.3,/' PSD =',
1710 + G,' FREQ'//,' RMS =',G,/' POWER =',G/,
1720 + ' EON FITS PTS',I4,' THRU',I4)
1730 IF(EF1,EQ,' ') GO TO 480
1740 WRITE(21,920) AM,B,PSUM,FLOW,FHIGH,NS,NF
1750 920 FORMAT(45X' ***** POWER SPECTRAL'
1760 + ' DENSITY EQUATION *****'/
1770 + 45X,' ',41X,' ')/
1780 + 45X,' ',31X,F6.3,4X,' ')/
1790 + 45X,' ',5X,' PSD = ',G,' FREQ ',8X,' ')/
1800 + 45X,' ',41X,' ')/
1810 + 45X,' .....'/
1820 + '.....'//,
1830 + 61X,' POWER = ',F10.4,/
1840 + 50X,' CUTOFF FREQUENCIES:',/
1850 + 50X,' LOW-- ',F10.8,/
1860 + 50X,' HIGH-- ',F10.8,/
1870 + 50X,' EON FITS POINTS',I4,' THRU',I4,/)
1880 WRITE(21,921)
1890 921 FORMAT(' THE FOLLOWING POINTS WERE USED'
1900 + ' IN THE SQ FIT:'/)
1910 NS=NS-1
1920 WRITE(21,922) ((FREQ(K),SPX(K)),K=NS,NF)
1930 922 FORMAT(5(F18.8,F8.3)/)

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1940      MF=NF+1
1950      WRITE(21,924)
1960      924  FORMAT(///' THE FOLLOWING POINTS WERE'
1970      *    ' NOT FITTED: '//)
1980      IF(NS.EQ.1) GO TO 410
1990      WRITE(21,922) ((FREQ(K),SPX(K)),K=1,NS-1)
2000      GO TO 420
2010      410  WRITE(21,925)
2020      925  FORMAT(' NO LOWER FREQUENCIES WERE DELETED '//)
2030      420  IF(NF.EQ.LLAG) GO TO 460
2040      WRITE(21,922) ((FREQ(K),SPX(K)),K=MF,LLAG)
2050      GO TO 470
2060      460  WRITE(21,926)
2070      926  FORMAT('/' NO HIGHER FREQUENCIES
      HERE DELETED'//)
2080      470  CONTINUE
2090      C *****
2100      480  IF(FN1.EQ.' ') FN1='-----'
2110      IF(FN2.EQ.' ') FN2='-----'
2120      IF(OPTYPE.NE.'YES') WRITE(6,927) SD,
2130      & XBARAS,FN1,FN2
2140      927  FORMAT(' SD =',F12.7,/' XBARAS =',
2150      * F12.7,/' FILE FOR PSD PLOT: ',A5,',' DAT',/
2160      * ' FILE FOR ROAD PLOT: ',A5,',' DAT'//)
2170      IF(FN1.EQ.'-----') GO TO 490
2180      WRITE(21,928) ARMS,SD,XBAR,XBARAS,NG,N
2190      928  FORMAT(67X,'RMS =',F12.7,/
2200      * 53X,'STANDARD DEVIATION =',F12.7,/
2210      * 54X,'X-BAR AFTER GAUSS =',F12.7,/
2220      * 54X,'X-BAR AFTER SHIFT =',F12.7,/
2230      * 45X,'STARTING NUMBER FOR RAN(Z) =',I4,/
2240      * 55X,'NUMBER OF POINTS =',I6)
2250      929  FORMAT(10F12.8)
2260      490  IF(F12.EQ.'-----') GO TO 9999
2270      WRITE(22,930) TAU,FN2,AM,NG,ALPHA,TAU,RMS
2280      930  FORMAT(1X,F/1X,A5,',' DAT--SLOPE=',F6.3,
2290      * ' NG=',I2,',' ALPHA=',F6.5,
2300      * ' TAU=',F3.1,',' RMS=',F3.1)
2310      DO 500 I=10,N,10
2320      500  WRITE(22,929) (X(K),K=I-9,I)
2330      9999  CALL EXIT
2340      996  FORMAT(A5)
2350      997  FORMAT(I)
2360      998  FORMAT(F)
2370      999  FORMAT(/)
2380      END
2390
2400

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2410		
2420		SUBROUTINE GAURND(V,NG)
2430		COMMON SD
2440		V=0,
2450		J=0
2460		DO 100 I=1,NG
2470	100	A=GAN(Z)
2480		DO 110 I=1,12
2490		A=GAN(Z)
2500	110	V=V+A
2510		V=V-A,
2520		V=V*SD
2530		RETURN

APPENDIX B(Documentation for VEH)

I. **DESCRIPTION:** This program, in its original form, was also obtained from N. R. Murphy, WES. It is a non-linear, time-domain wheeled vehicle simulation on a digital computer, a PDP 10.

II. **INPUTS AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS:**

A. Prior to execution: The vehicle constants must be entered in Subroutine DATA (see Appendix C) and the tire load-deflection curves must be on hand.

B. During execution:

1. Name of input file (Road file created with NOIPSD).
2. Desired Delta-L: This should be a multiple of the input profile spacing.
3. Name of vehicle to be simulated.
4. Options. Answer YES or NO.
 - a. Absorbed Power.
 - b. Detailed output file?
 - (1) YES causes program to ask for file name, which should not be more than five characters long.
 - (2) NO causes program to skip the above question and no output file will be created.
 - c. Peak accelerations.
 - d. Driver motions (only asked if vehicle is a track)
 - e. RMS of all accelerations. (This must be answered YES if PWRPLT is to be used later to plot the

absorbed power.

f. Tire deflections. The program will type out the loads on each axle, front to rear. Enter the deflection caused by each load on a single tire.

5. Vehicle velocity in miles per hour.

6. Teletype printout time interval in seconds.

7. Time and absorbed power only? Answer YES or NO.

a. YES causes the program to type out only time, absorbed power, and average absorbed power for each interval.

b. NO will cause the normal printout format to be used.

8. Stop? Answer YES or NO. Program will stop on entry of YES.

III. OUTPUTS: These depend on the options selected. Assuming all are desired, the outputs will be as follows:

A. To detailed file:

1. List of THRESH and GAMMA.

2. Vehicle velocity in MPH and inches per second.

3. Delta-L.

4. Delta-t.

5. Number of steps in RKG integration.

6. RKG step size.

7. The input profile identification.

8. Time, profile input point, average power, absorbed power, and vehicle motions at each step.

- B. To teletype: Basically the same information as above is printed out on the teletype, except that the time, input point, etc. are printed out only according to the teletype print-out interval specified earlier.

IV. SAMPLE EXECUTION:

IV. SAMPLE EXECUTION:

A. Normal:

.EXECUTE VEH
FORTRAN: VEH
LOADING

LOADER 9K CORE
EXECUTION

FILE NAME OF INPUT PROFILE: ROADX
DESIRED DELTAL: 1.
NAME OF VEHICLE? M151

DO YOU WANT THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS?

ABSORBED POWER? YES
A DETAILED OUTPUT FILE? YES
FILE NAME: FILEX
PEAK ACCELERATIONS? NO
RMS OF ALL ACCELS? YES

FROM FORCE-DEFL CURVES FOR
M-151 JEEP TIRES, ENTER DEFLECTIONS:
LOAD = 581.071 .82
LOAD = 623.249 .865

VEHICLE VELOCITY IN MPH: 10.0
TTY PRINTOUT TIME INTERVAL: .2

TIME & POWER TYPEOUT ONLY? NO

VELOCITY=10.00 MPH (176.00 IPS)
DELTA-L=1.000 DELTA-T=0.0057
NSTEPS= 5 H=.001136
VEHICLE IS: M-151 JEEP
INPUT PROFILE IS:
ROADX.DAT--FILE FOR VARIABLE MEASUREMENT INTERVALS

A. Normal:(continued)

	DISPL	VELOC	ACCEL	RMSAC
TIME= 0.000	INPUT= 0.000	ABSORBED POWER= 0.000 0.000		
C-G	-1.17601	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
PITCH	-0.00086	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
AXLE1	-0.82000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
AXLE2	-0.86500	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
STOP? NO				

TIME= 0.205	INPUT= -0.209	ABSORBED POWER= 0.140 0.041		
C-G	-1.22561	-3.25482	-0.21239	0.15562
PITCH	-0.00026	-0.13723	-2.62326	2.13225
AXLE1	-1.06928	-8.41071	1.23916	0.45973
AXLE2	-0.86037	1.79340	0.04520	0.09609
STOP? NO				

TIME= 0.403	INPUT= -0.549	ABSORBED POWER= 0.515 0.231		
C-G	-1.09423	-1.51579	3.12303	0.23038
PITCH	0.00089	-0.05403	2.84386	3.34899
AXLE1	-0.72493	-0.32713	0.13655	0.65754
AXLE2	-0.80245	0.23447	-0.15274	0.12382
STOP? YES				

EXECUTION TIME: 29.27 SEC.
 TOTAL ELAPSED TIME: 3 MIN. 57.30 SEC.
 NO EXECUTION ERRORS DETECTED

EXIT

B. Abbreviated:

.EXECUTE VEH
LOADING

LOADER 9K CORE
EXECUTION

FILE NAME OF INPUT PROFILE: ROADX
DESIRED DELTAL: 1.5
NAME OF VEHICLE? M151

DO YOU WANT THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS?

ABSORBED POWER? YES
A DETAILED OUTPUT FILE? NO
PEAK ACCELERATIONS? NO
RMS OF ALL ACCELS? NO

FROM FORCE-DEFL CURVES FOR
M-151 JEEP TIRES, ENTER DEFLECTIONS:
LOAD = 581.071 .82
LOAD = 623.249 .865

VEHICLE VELOCITY IN MPH: 10.0
TTY PRINTOUT TIME INTERVAL: .1

TIME & POWER TYPEOUT ONLY? YES

TIME	ABSPWR	AVEPWR
0.00	0.00	0.00
0.10	0.05	0.01
0.20	0.19	0.04
0.31	0.73	0.18
0.40	0.78	0.30
0.50	0.61	0.38
0.61	0.88	0.43
0.71	0.75	0.50
0.80	0.89	0.52
0.90	1.64	0.64

STOP? YES

EXECUTION TIME: 39.78 SEC.
TOTAL ELAPSED TIME: 1 MIN. 57.87 SEC.
NO EXECUTION ERRORS DETECTED

V. PROGRAM LISTING:

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010 C ***** STORAGE ALLOCATIONS
020 C   NOTE: THE FOLLOWING COMMON STATEMENTS
030 C   MUST APPEAR IN EACH SUBROUTINE
040      COMMON FORCH(6),FORCT(7),FORCK(6),FORCN(6)
050      COMMON SPDEF(6),DSPSF(6),THRESH(200),SIGMA(9)
060      COMMON VAR(18),Y(260),PWRVAR(9),DAMP(6)
070      COMMON ACCISS(9),ACCGS(9),ACCMAX(9),ACCMIN(9)
080      COMMON SUMRMS(9),RMS(9),LEN(10),MASS(6)
090      COMMON H,T,DELTAT,DELTAL,VELIPS,VELMPH,NSTEPS
100      COMMON YIN,DRVMAX,DRVMIN,ABSPWR,GAMMA(200)
110      COMMON DISDRV,VELDRV,ACCDRV,RMSDRV
120      COMMON IFPWR,IFFILE,IFPACC,IFORV,IFRMS
130      COMMON NY,IDF,NAXLES,NSEGS,IFHORE,FNAME
140      COMMON FMASS,INRTIA,HORMOM,DRVLEN
150      COMMON VEHQID(2),PROFIL(260),PASTP(260),INDEX
160      COMMON YY(3),WEIGHT(3)
170      COMMON SLIMIT(4,3),SSLOPE(5,3),SINT(5,3)
180      COMMON DLIMIT(2,3),DSLOPE(3,3),DINT(3,3)
190      DIMENSION DRIVER(4),IOPT(6),NYTEMP(3)
200      DIMENSION FID(12),XTNAME(4)
210      DIMENSION FK(18),P(18),Q(18),PY(9),PWRFK(9)
220      DIMENSION PP(9),QQ(9)
230      REAL LEN,MASS,INRTIA
240      EQUIVALENCE (ISETUP,NY)
250      EQUIVALENCE (DRIVER(1),DISDRV)
260      EQUIVALENCE (IOPT(1),IFPWR)
270      DATA XTNAME/'M151','M35',' ',' ',' ' /
280      NO='N'
290      IYES='Y'
300      IFSTOP='N'
310 C ***** VARIABLE INITIALIZATION
320      DO 100 I=1,9
330      PWRVAR(I)=0,
340      QQ(I)=0,
350      ACCISS(I)=0,
360      SUMRMS(I)=0,
370      Q(I)=0,
380      ACCMAX(I)=0,
390      ACCMIN(I)=0,
400      100 CONTINUE
410      ACCDRV=0,
420      DO 110 I=1,18
430      110 VAR(I)=0,
440      T=0,
450      SDVRMS=0,
460      ABSPWR=0,
470      DRVMAX=0,
480      DRVMIN=0,
490      YIN=0,

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500      H=.001
510      DELTA=4.
520      JSTOP=1
530      NSTOP=0
540      TPRINT=0.
550      C ***** OPEN INPUT FILE AND READ PROFILE
560      C ***** SPACING AND OTHER IDENTIFICATION
570      WRITE(6,900)
580      900  FORMAT(' FILE NAME OF INPUT PROFILE: ',S)
590      READ(5,996) FN2
600      IF(FN2.EQ.' ') GO TO 120
610      CALL IFILE(22,FN2)
620      CALL FILIN(FID,JS,SPACING,1)
630      C ***** VEHICLE CONSTANTS READ-IN
640      120  WRITE(6,902)
650      902  FORMAT(' +NAME OF VEHICLE? ',S)
660      READ(5,996) TNAME
670      DO 130 I=1,4
680      IF(TNAME-XTNAME(I))130,140,130
690      130  CONTINUE
700      WRITE(6,903) XTNAME
710      903  FORMAT(' THE AVAILABLE VEHICLES ARE: '
720      * 4(2X,A5))
730      GO TO 120
740      140  GO TO (150,160,170,180) I
750      150  ASSIGN 400 TO ISUB
760      GO TO 190
770      160  ASSIGN 410 TO ISUB
780      GO TO 190
790      170  ASSIGN 420 TO ISUB
800      GO TO 190
810      180  ASSIGN 430 TO ISUB
820      190  CONTINUE
830      C ***** SELECTION OF OPTIONS
840      WRITE(6,904)
850      904  FORMAT(' DO YOU WANT THE FOLLOWING',
860      * ' OPTIONS? '//' ABSORBED POWER? ',S)
870      READ(5,995) IFPWR
880      WRITE(6,905)
890      905  FORMAT(' +A DETAILED OUTPUT FILE? ',S)
900      READ(5,995) IFFILE
910      IF(IFFILE.EQ.'N') GO TO 210
920      WRITE(6,906)
930      906  FORMAT(' + FILE NAME: ',S)
940      ACCEPT 996, FN1
950      CALL OFILE(21,FN1)
960      210  WRITE(6,907)
970      907  FORMAT(' +PEAK ACCELERATIONS? ',S)
980      READ(5,995) IFPACC
990      IF(1.LT.3) GO TO 215

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1000      WRITE(6,908)
1010      908      FORMAT(' + DRIVER MOTIONS? ',S)
1020      READ(5,995) IFDRV
1030      GO TO 216
1040      215      IFDRV='N'
1050      216      WRITE(6,909)
1060      909      FORMAT(' + RMS OF ALL ACCELS? ',S)
1070      READ(5,995) IFRMS
1080      CALL DATA(I)
1090      C ***** INITIALIZE PROFILE ARRAYS
1100      DO 220 I=1,NY
1110      PASTP(I)=0.
1120      Y(I)=0.
1130      220      PROFIL(I)=0.
1140      NYTEMP(1)=0.
1150      NYTEMP(2)=(LEN(1)+LEN(2)-LEN(3))/DELTAL
1160      NYTEMP(3)=(LEN(1)+LEN(2)+LEN(4))/DELTAL
1170
1180      C ***** VEHICLE RUN VARIABLE INPUT
1190      WRITE(6,911)
1200      911      FORMAT('/ VEHICLE VELOCITY IN MPH: ',S)
1210      READ(5,998) VELMPH
1220      WRITE(6,912)
1230      912      FORMAT(' + TTY PRINTOUT TIME INTERVAL: ',S)
1240      READ(5,998) TIP
1250      WRITE(6,913)
1260      913      FORMAT(' TIME & POWER TYPEOUT ONLY? ',S)
1270      READ(5,995) OPTYPE
1280      C ***** TIME STEP AND RKG TIME SET-UP
1290      VELIPS=VELMPH*17.6
1300      DELTAT=DELTAL/VELIPS
1310      NSTEPS=DELTAT/H
1320      TEMP=NSTEPS
1330      H=DELTAT/TEMP
1340      C ***** OUTPUT SCALING
1350      230      DO 240 I=1,IDF
1360      240      ACCGS(I)=ACCISS(I)/386.
1370      ACCGS(2)=ACCISS(2)
1380      C ***** ABSORBED POWER CALCULATION
1390      ABSPWR=0.
1400      IF(T.NE.0.)      ABSPWR=-100.*PWRVAR(1)/T
1410      CALL AVERAGE(ABSPWR,AVEPWR)
1420      IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N')      GO TO 260
1430      DISDRV=VAR(1)+DRVLEN*VAR(2)
1440      VELDRV=VAR(IDF+1)+DRVLEN*VAR(IDF+2)
1450      C ***** RMS CALCULATION
1460      260      IF(IFRMS.EQ.'N')      GO TO 280

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1470      DO 270 I=1, IDF
1480      SUMRMS(I)=SUMRMS(I)+ACCGS(I)**2
1490      RMS(I)=0.
1500      270      IF(T.NE.0.) RMS(I)=SQRT(SUMRMS(I)*DELTAT/T)
1510      280      IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N')      GO TO 300
1520      SDVRMS=SDVRMS+ACCDRV**2
1530      RMSDRV=0.
1540      IF(T.NE.0.)      RMSDRV=SQRT(SDVRMS*DELTAT/T)
1550      C ***** PEAK ACCELERATION CALCULATION
1560      300      IF(IFPACC.EQ.'N')      GO TO 320
1570      DO 310 I=1, IDF
1580      ACCMAX(I)=AMAX1(ACCMAX(I),ACCGS(I))
1590      310      ACCMIN(I)=AMIN1(ACCMIN(I),ACCGS(I))
1600      320      IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N')      GO TO 340
1610      DRVMAX=AMAX1(DRVMAX,ACCDRV)
1620      DRVMIN=AMIN1(DRVMIN,ACCDRV)
1630      C ***** PROFILE INPUT
1640      340      CALL FILIN(FID,JSTOP,SPACING,2)
1650      C ***** PROGRAM OUTPUT
1660      350      IF(IFFILE.EQ.'Y') CALL FILWRT(FID,NPL,
1670      *      FN2,AVEPWR)
1680      IF(T.LT.TPRINT)      GO TO 360
1690      CALL PRINT(FID,IFSTOP,OPTYPE,AVEPWR)
1700      TPRINT=TPRINT+TIP
1710      IF(IFSTOP.EQ.'Y')      GO TO 510
1720      C ***** MAIN PROGRAM
1730      360      CALL SHIFT
1740      C ***** SHIFT ADVANCES THE Y PROFILE ARRAY
1750      IF(JSTOP.EQ.2)      GO TO 500
1760      PROFIL(1)=YIN
1770      INDEX=-NSTEPS
1780      LDF=2*IDF
1790      370      DO 380 J=1, IDF
1800      K=J+IDF
1810      380      PY(J)=VAR(K)
1820      DO 390 I=1, NY
1830      390      Y(I)=PASTP(I)+(((INDEX+NSTEPS+1)*
1840      *      (PROFIL(I)-PASTP(I)))/NSTEPS)
1850      DO 440 I=1, 4
1860      GO TO ISUB,(400,410,420,430)
1870      400      CALL WHEELS(FK,NYTEMP)
1880      GO TO 440
1890      410      CALL WHEELS(FK,NYTEMP)
1900      GO TO 440
1910      420      CALL M60(FK)
1920      GO TO 440
1930      430      CALL M113(FK)
1940      440      CALL RUNGE(P,Q,VAR,FK,LDF,I)

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1950		DO 450 I=1,10F
1960		K=I+10F
1970	450	ACCISS(I)=(VAR(K)-PY(I))/H
1980		ACCDRV=(ACCISS(1)+DRVLEN*ACCISS(2))/386,
1990		IF(IFPWR.EQ.'N') GO TO 480
2000		DO 470 J=1,4
2010		CALL POWER(PWRFK)
2020	470	CALL RUNGE(PP,QQ,PWRVAR,PWRFK,9,1)
2030	480	INDEX=INDEX+1
2040		IF(INDEX.NE.0) GO TO 370
2050		T=T+DELTAT
2060		GO TO 230
2070	C *****	FINAL OUTPUT
2080	500	CALL PRINT(FID,IFSTOP,OPTYPE)
2090	510	IF(IFPACC.EQ.'Y') CALL PEAKAC(NPL)
2100	995	FORMAT(A1)
2110	996	FORMAT(A5)
2120	997	FORMAT(I)
2130	998	FORMAT(F)
2140	999	FORMAT(/)
2150	9999	CALL EXIT
2160		END

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010      SUBROUTINE FILIN(FID,JS,SPACING,N)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE READS A NEW INPUT
030      C ***** VALUE (YIN), AND CHECKS FOR END OF FILE.
040      C
050      DIMENSION FID(12)
060      DIMENSION FYIN(10)
070      DATA FYIN/10*0./
080      IF(N.LT.2) GO TO 130
090      100      IY=IY+MM
100      110      IF(IY.GT.10) GO TO 120
110      YIN=FYIN(IY)
120      RETURN
130      120      READ(22,900) (FYIN(I),I=1,10)
140      900      FORMAT(10F)
150      IF(EOFC) GO TO 9999
160      IY=IY-10
170      GO TO 110
180      130      WRITE(6,901)
190      901      FORMAT(' + DESIRED DELTA: ',5)
200      READ(5,998) DELTA
210      READ(22,902) SPACING,(FID(I),I=1,12),
220      + (FYIN(J),J=1,10)
230      902      FORMAT(1X,F/1X,12A5,/10F)
240      MM=DELTA/SPACING
250      IY=0
260      RETURN
270      9999      JS=2
280      RETURN
290      998      FORMAT(F)
300      END

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010      SUBROUTINE RUNGE(P,Q,X,FK,M,N)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE IS THE RKG ALGORITHM.
030      DIMENSION P(1),Q(1),X(1),FK(1),A(4),B(4),C(4)
040      DATA A/,5,.292893219,1.70710678,.166666667/
050      DATA B/2.,1.,1.,2./
060      DATA C/,5,.292893219,1.70710678,.5/
070      TA=A(N)
080      TB=B(N)
090      TC=C(N)
100      DO 100 I=1,M
110      P(I)=TA*(FK(I)-TB*Q(I))
120      X(I)=X(I)+P(I)
130      100      Q(I)=Q(I)+3.*P(I)-TC*FK(I)
140      RETURN
150      END

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010      SUBROUTINE DATA(N)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE CONTAINS THE VEHICLE
030      C ***** PARAMETERS; IT ALSO CALLS GAMSUB
040      DIMENSION ISETUP(5),DSIGMA(9,4)
050      DIMENSION OVEHCL(2,4),DTHRSH(9,4),DGAMMA(9,4)
060      DIMENSION DMASS(6,4),DVAR(9,4),DLEN(10,4)
070      DIMENSION DEMASS(4),DINRTA(4),DDRVLN(4)
080      DIMENSION DSLIM(4,3,2),DSSL0(5,3,2)
090      DIMENSION DSINT(5,3,2)
100      DIMENSION ODLIM(2,3,2),ODSL0(3,3,2)
110      DIMENSION DDINT(3,3,2)
120      DIMENSION DR(2)
130      INTEGER DSETUP(5,4)
140      REAL LEN,MASS,INRTIA
150      EQUIVALENCE (ISETUP(1),NY)
160      DATA DVEHCL/10HM-151 JEEP,10HM-35 TRUCK,
170      1 10HM-60 TANK,10HM-113 TANK/
180      C ***** DSETUP'S ARE NY,1DF,NAXLES,NSEGS,1FHORE
190      DATA DSETUP/0,4,2,0,0,0,5,3,0,0,
200      8 50,9,6,5,1,36,8,5,5,1/
210      DATA DTHRSH/9*0.,9*0.,
220      1 3,5,1.,0.,1.,3,5,4*0.,
230      1 3,2.,9,0.,9,3,2,4*0./
240      DATA DGAMMA/9*0.,9*0.,
250      1 3885.,4715.,5000.,4715.,3885.,4*0.,
260      1 1500.,2000.,3500.,2000.,1500.,4*0./
270      DATA DSIGMA/9*0.,9*0.,
280      1 3145.,1670.,0.,-1670.,-3145.,4*0.,
290      1 1500.,700.,0.,-700.,-1500.,4*0./
300      DATA DLEN/44.3,40.7,8*0.,113.,39.,24.,24.,6*0.,
310      1 77.,44.,11.,-22.,-55.,-88.,4*0.,
320      1 52.,24.,0.,-28.,-65.,5*0./
330      DATA DMASS/,27.,27,4*0.,
340      1 1.191,2.08,2.05,3*0.,6*0.,6*0./
350      DATA DEMASS/2.58,18.8,0.,0./
360      DATA DINRTA/3282.,90876.,0.,0./
370      DATA DDRVLN/0.,0.,25.,25./
380      DATA DVAR/9*0.,9*0.,
390      1 -5.79,-.0089,-.966,-.97,
400      1 -.942,-.913,-.884,-.856,0.,
410      1 -3.75,-.0087,-.76,-.78,-.76,-.73,-.68,2*0./
420      DATA DSLIM/12*999.,-4.4,-3.65,3.65,4.4,
430      1 -5.7,-5.1,5.1,5.7,-5.7,-5.1,5.1,5.7/
440      DATA DSSL0/15*1500.,
450      1 11771.43,3333.33,1145.2,3333.33,11771.43,
460      1 46000.,9333.33,2509.8,9333.33,46000.,
470      1 46000.,9333.33,2509.8,9333.33,46000./

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480      DATA DSINT/15*0.,
490      1 66714.3,7986.65,0.0,-7986.65,-66714.3,
500      1 243800.,34800.,0.0,-34800.,-243800.,
510      1 243800.,34800.,0.0,-34800.,-243800./
520      DATA DDLIM/4*999.,2*0.,
530      1 -0.6,0.6,-0.6,0.6,-0.6,0.6/
540      DATA DDSLO/9*42.,
550      1 70.,1402.,40.,0.,1583.,0.,0.,1583.,0./
560      DATA DDINT/9*0.,
570      1 -800.,0.,820.,-950.,0.,950.,-950.,0.,950./
580      DATA DR/15.,19./
590      DO 100 I=1,2
600      100 VEHQID(I)=DVEHCL(I,N)
610      DO 110 I=1,5
620      110 ISETUP(I)=DSETUP(I,N)
630      DO 120 I=1,IDF
640      LEN(I)=DLEN(I,N)
650      120 VAR(I)=DVAR(I,N)
660      DO 130 I=1,NAXLES
670      130 MASS(I)=DMASS(I,N)
680      FMASS=DFMASS(N)
690      INRTIA=DINRTA(N)
700      DRVLEN=DDRVLN(N)
710      IF(N.LE.2) GO TO 150
720      DO 140 I=1,NSEGS
730      THRESH(I)=DTHRSN(I,N)
740      SIGMA(I)=DSIGMA(I,N)
750      140 GAMMA(I)=DGAMMA(I,N)
760      RETURN
770      150 DO 200 I=1,NAXLES
780      DO 160 J=1,4
790      160 SLIMIT(J,I)=DSLIM(J,I,N)
800      DO 170 J=1,5
810      SSLOPE(J,I)=DSSLO(J,I,N)
820      170 SINT(J,I)=DSINT(J,I,N)
830      DO 180 J=1,2
840      180 DLIMIT(J,I)=DDLIM(J,I,N)
850      DO 190 J=1,3
860      DSLOPE(J,I)=DDSLO(J,I,N)
870      190 DINT(J,I)=DDINT(J,I,N)
880      200 CONTINUE
890      R=DR(N)
900      CALL GAMSUB(N,R)
910      DO 210 I=1,NAXLES
920      VAR(I+2)=-YY(I)
930      WEIGHT(I)=WEIGHT(I)-MASS(I)*386.
940      IF(NAXLES.LT.3) GO TO 210
950      IF(I.LT.2) GO TO 210
960      WEIGHT(I)=2.*WEIGHT(I)
970      210 SPDEF(I)=-WEIGHT(I)/SSLOPE(3,I)

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0980      WB=LEN(1)*LEN(2)
0990      T1=VAR(3)+SPDEF(1)
1000      T2=VAR(4)+SPDEF(2)
1010      IF(N.LT.2) GO TO 220
1020      T3=VAR(5)+SPDEF(3)
1030      T2=(T2*LEN(4)+T3*LEN(3))/(LEN(3)+LEN(4))
1040      220      VAR(1)=(T1*LEN(2)+T2*LEN(1))/WB
1050      VAR(2)=(T2-T1)/WB
1060      WRITE(6,800) (VAR(I),I=1,10F)
1070      800      FORMAT(5F10.5)
1080      RETURN
1090      END
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010 SUBROUTINE GAMSUB(N,R)
020 DIMENSION VEHWT(2),RF(2),WDF(2),WDR(2,2)
030 DIMENSION D(0/30),DPRIME(0/30),THR(0/30)
040 DIMENSION DELTA(0/90)
050 REAL LEN,MASS
060 DO 100 I=0,30,1
070 D(I)=I*DELTA
080 100 IF((D(I)/R).GT.0.788) GO TO 110
090 110 NSEGS=I+2-1
100 NY=(LEN(1)+LEN(2)+LEN(4))/DELTA+NSEGS
110 KK=I-1
120 KZERO=1
130 Q=LEN(1)+LEN(2)
140 WEIGHT(1)=(FMASS*(LEN(2)/Q)+MASS(1))*386.
150 WEIGHT(2)=(((FMASS*(LEN(1)/Q))/(NAXLES-1))
160 & +MASS(2))*386.
170 IF(NAXLES.LT.3) GO TO 120
180 WEIGHT(2)=WEIGHT(2)/2.
190 WEIGHT(3)=(((FMASS*(LEN(1)/Q))/(NAXLES-1))
200 & +MASS(3))*386./2.
210 120 WRITE(6,900) VEHQID
220 900 FORMAT(' FROM FORCE-DEFL CURVES FOR '/1X,
230 * 2A5,' TIRES, ENTER DEFLECTIONS: '/')
240 DO 135 I=1,NAXLES
250 WRITE(6,901) WEIGHT(I)
260 901 FORMAT('+ LOAD = ',F8.3,3X,9)
270 135 READ(5,902) YY(I)
280 902 FORMAT(F)
290 SUM5=0.
300 SUM6=0.
310 SUM7=0.
320 DO 130 I=0,KK,1
330 DPRIME(I)=SQRT(R**2,-D(I)**2.)
340 COSTHETA=DPRIME(I)/R
350 THR(I)=R-DPRIME(I)
360 DELTA(I)=YY(1)-THR(I)
370 IF(DELTA(I).LT.0.0) DELTA(I)=0.0
380 SUM5=SUM5+DELTA(I)*COSTHETA
390 J=I+KK+1
400 DELTA(J)=YY(2)-THR(I)
410 IF(DELTA(J).LT.0.0) DELTA(J)=0.0
420 SUM6=SUM6+DELTA(J)*COSTHETA
430 JJ=J+KK+1
440 DELTA(JJ)=YY(3)-THR(I)
450 IF(DELTA(JJ).LT.0.0) DELTA(JJ)=0.0
460 SUM7=SUM7+DELTA(JJ)*COSTHETA
470 130 CONTINUE
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490      SUM5=SUM5*2.-DELTA(0)
500      SUM6=SUM6*2.-DELTA(KK+1)
510      SUM7=SUM7*2.-DELTA(2*KK+2)
520      SPKF=WEIGHT(1)/SUM5
530      SPKR1=WEIGHT(2)/SUM6
540      SPKR2=0.0
550      IF(N.EQ.1) GO TO 136
560      SPKR1=2*SPKR1
570      SPKR2=2*WEIGHT(3)/SUM7
580      C$SSSS
590      136      DO 140 I=KK,0,-1
600      THRESH(KZERO-I)=THR(I)
610      140      THRESH(KZERO+I)=THR(I)
620      DO 150 I=1,NSEGS
630      THRESH(I+NSEGS)=THRESH(I)
640      J=I+2*NSEGS
650      150      THRESH(J)=THRESH(I)
660      C$SSSS
670      DO 160 I=KK,0,-1
680      J=KZERO-I
690      JJ=KZERO+I
700      COSTHETA=DPRIME(I)/R
710      GAMMA(J)=SPKF*COSTHETA
720      GAMMA(JJ)=GAMMA(J)
730      J1=J+NSEGS
740      JJ1=JJ+NSEGS
750      GAMMA(J1)=SPKR1*COSTHETA
760      GAMMA(JJ1)=GAMMA(J1)
770      J2=J1+NSEGS
780      JJ2=JJ1+NSEGS
790      GAMMA(J2)=SPKR2*COSTHETA
800      160      GAMMA(JJ2)=GAMMA(J2)
810      C$SSSS
820      WRITE(21,930) ((I,D(I)),I=0,KK)
830      930      FORMAT(50(' D(',I2,') = 'F8.2/)/)
840      WRITE(21,931)
850      931      FORMAT(//' I          THRESH(I)'
860      +      ' GAMMA(I)'/6X,'FRONT:')
870      DO 240 I=1,2*NSEGS
880      WRITE(21,932) I,THRESH(I),GAMMA(I)
890      932      FORMAT(1X,I2,1X,2F15.3)
900      240      IF(I.EQ.NSEGS) WRITE(21,933)
910      933      FORMAT(/6X,'REAR:')
920      IF(N.EQ.1) GO TO 9999
930      WRITE(21,934)
940      934      FORMAT(/6X,'REAR2:')
950      DO 260 I=2*NSEGS+1,3*NSEGS,1
960      260      WRITE(21,932) I,THRESH(I),GAMMA(I)
970      9999      RETURN
980      END

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010      SUBROUTINE PEAKAC(NPL)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE WRITES THE PEAK
030      C ***** ACCELERATION VALUES
040      WRITE(6,901)
050      901  FORMAT(' PEAK ACCELERATION VALUES'/9X,
060      *      'MAXIMUM MINIMUM')
070      WRITE(6,902) (ACCMAX(I),ACCMIN(I),I=1,2)
080      902  FORMAT(' C-G  '2F9.4,/' PITCH ',2F9.4)
090      DO 110 I=1,NAXLES
100          J=I+2
110      110  WRITE(6,903) I,ACCMAX(J),ACCMIN(J)
120      903  FORMAT(' AXLE',I1,1X,2F9.4)
130      IF(IFHORZ,EQ.1) WRITE(6,904) ACCMAX(IDF),
140      *      ACCMIN(IDF)
150      904  FORMAT(' HORIZ ',2F9.4)
160      IF(IFDRV,EQ.'Y') WRITE(6,905) DRVMAX,DRVMIN
170      905  FORMAT(' DRIVER',2F9.4)
180      IF(FFILE,EQ.'N') RETURN
190      WRITE(21,901)
200      WRITE(21,902) (ACCMAX(I),ACCMIN(I),I=1,2)
210      DO 120 I=1,NAXLES
220          J=I+2
230      120  WRITE(21,903) I,ACCMAX(J),ACCMIN(J)
240      IF(IFHORZ,EQ.1) WRITE(21,904) ACCMAX(IDF),
250      *      ACCMIN(IDF)
260      IF(IFDRV,EQ.'Y') WRITE(21,905) DRVMAX,DRVMIN
270      RETURN
280      END

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010      SUBROUTINE AVERAGE(X,Y)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE COMPUTES THE
030      C ***** AVERAGE OF ANY INPUT X
040      DATA N/0/
050      DATA SUM/0./
060      N=N+1
070      SUM=SUM+X
080      Y=SUM/N
090      RETURN
100      END

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010 SUBROUTINE PRINT(FID,IFSTOP,OPTYPE,AP)
020 C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE HANDLES THE TTY PRINTOUT
030 DIMENSION FID(12),HEAD(5),VID(3)
040 DIMENSION VOUT(4)
050 DIMENSION DRIVER(4)
060 EQUIVALENCE (DRIVER(1),DISORV)
070 DATA VID/15HABSORBED POWER=/
080 DATA HEAD/'DISPL','VELOC','ACCEL',
090 + 'RMSAC',' ' '/'
100 DATA IFIRST/0/
110 IF(OPTYPE.EQ.'V') GO TO 170
120 IF(IFIRST.EQ.1) GO TO 110
130 K=4
140 IF(IFRMS.EQ.'N') K=3
150 WRITE(6,901) VELMPH,VELIPS,DELTAL,DELTAT,
160 + NSTEPS,H
170 901 FORMAT(///' VELOCITY='F5.2,' MPH ('
180 + F6.2,' IPS)'/, ' DELTA-L='F5.3,3X,
190 + 'DELTA-T='F6.4/' NSTEPS='F4.4X,
200 + 'H='F7.6)
210 WRITE(6,902) VEHQID,FID
220 902 FORMAT(' VEHICLE ISI '2A5/' INPUT PROFILE IS
: '/1X,12A5)
230 WRITE(6,903) (HEAD(I),I=1,K)
240 903 FORMAT(//7X,4(5X,A5))
250 IFIRST=1
260 110 IF(IFPWR.EQ.'N') GO TO 120
270 WRITE(6,904) T,PROFIL(1),VID,ABSPWR
280 904 FORMAT('/ TIME='F6.3,
290 + ' INPUT='F7.3,3X,3A5,F7.3)
300 GO TO 130
310 120 WRITE(6,904) T,PROFIL(1)
320 130 CALL VARFIX(1,VOUT)
330 WRITE(6,905) (VOUT(I),I=1,K)
340 905 FORMAT('/ C-G ',4F10.5)
350 CALL VARFIX(2,VOUT)
360 WRITE(6,906) (VOUT(I),I=1,K)
370 906 FORMAT(' PITCH ',4F10.5)
380 DO 140 L=1,NAXLES
390 N=2+L
400 CALL VARFIX(N,VOUT)
410 140 WRITE(6,907) L,(VOUT(I),I=1,K)
420 907 FORMAT(' AXLE',I1,1X,4F10.5)
430 IF(IFHORZ.EQ.0) GO TO 150
440 N=N+1
450 CALL VARFIX(N,VOUT)
460 WRITE(6,908) (VOUT(I),I=1,K)
470 908 FORMAT(' HORIZ ',4F10.5)

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400 150 IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N') GO TO 160
490 WRITE(6,909) (DRIVER(I),I=1,K)
500 909 FORMAT(' DRIVER',4F10.5)
510 160 WRITE(6,910)
520 910 FORMAT(' STOP? ',S)
530 ACCEPT 996, IFSTOP
540 996 FORMAT(A1)
550 KK=0
560 RETURN
570 170 IF(IFIRST.EQ.0) WRITE(6,911)
580 911 FORMAT('// ' TIME ABSPWR AVEPWR)
590 IFIRST=1
600 WRITE(6,912) T,ABSPWR,AVEPWR
610 912 FORMAT(1X,F5.2,2F7.2)
620 KK=KK+1
630 IF(KK.GE.10) GO TO 160
640 END

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010 SURROUTINE VARFIX(I,VOUT)
020 C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE IS CALLED BY PRINT
030 C ***** TO SELECT THE VARIABLES TO BE PRINTED.
040 DIMENSION VOUT(4)
050 VOUT(1)=VAR(I)
060 N=I+IDF
070 VOUT(2)=VAR(N)
080 VOUT(3)=ACCGS(I)
090 VOUT(4)=RMS(I)
100 RETURN
110 END

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010      SUBROUTINE POWER(FK)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE CALCULATES ABSORBED POWER,
030      DIMENSION FK(9)
040      U2=-67.743*ACCDRV-1.042*PWRVAR(8)
050      U1=-U2-3.246*PWRVAR(6)
060      U0=-U1+1.318*PWRVAR(4)
070      FK(1)=H*(.00873*PWRVAR(2)*PWRVAR(3))
080      FK(2)=H*(-4.99484*ACCDRV)
090      FK(3)=H*(-100.*U0-59.*PWRVAR(3))
100      FK(4)=H*(-13.*U1+71.6*PWRVAR(5)
110      + -53.49*PWRVAR(4))
120      FK(5)=H*(-100.*U1-47.78*U0)
130      FK(6)=H*(-10.*U2-78.59*PWRVAR(7)
140      + -55.28*PWRVAR(6))
150      FK(7)=H*(-10.*U2-6.259*U1)
160      FK(8)=H*(-677.43*ACCDRV-388.8*PWRVAR(9)
170      + -46.67*PWRVAR(8))
180      FK(9)=H*(-67.743*ACCDRV-2.742*U2)
190      RETURN
200      END

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190      SUBROUTINE SHIFT
200      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE ADVANCES THE PROFILE
210      C ***** UNDER THE VEHICLE
220      DO 100 I=NY,2,-1
230      PASTP(I-1)=PROFIL(I-1)
240      100  PROFIL(I)=PROFIL(I-1)
250      RETURN
260      END

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010      SUBROUTINE FILWRT(FID,NPL,FN2,AP)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE HANDLES THE OUTPUT
030      C ***** TO AN EXTERNAL FILE
040      DIMENSION HEAD1(6),HEAD2(2)
050      DIMENSION VOUT(10),FID(12)
060      DATA IFIRST/0/
070      DATA HEAD1/'AXLE1','AXLE2','AXLE3','AXLE4',
080      * 'AXLE5','AXLE6'/
090      DATA HEAD2/'H,C-G','V,DRV'/
100      IF(IFIRST,NE.0) GO TO 130
110      WRITE(21,902) VELMPH,VELIPS,DELTAL,DELTAT,
120      * NSTEPS,H
130      902  FORMAT(/,' VELOCITY = ',F6.2,
140      * ' MPH ('F6.2,' IPS) ',7X,'DELTA-L='
150      * ',F5.3,' INCHES','9X,'DELTA-T=',F10.8,
160      * ' SECONDS',// ' RUNGE-KUTTA-GILL INTEGRATION:
170      * NUMBER OF STEPS=',I4,10X,'STEP SIZE (H)='
180      * E12.6//)
190      WRITE(21,903) VEH01D,FID
200      903  FORMAT(// ' VEHICLE IS: ',2A5,//
210      * ' PROFILE IS: ',12A5)
220      IFIRST=1
230      KK=2
240      IF(IFDRV,NE,'N') GO TO 120
250      HEAD2(2)=0,
260      KK=KK-1
270      120  IF(IFHORZ,NE.0.) GO TO 160
280      HEAD2(1)=HEAD2(2)
290      KK=KK-1
300      GO TO 160
310      130  IF(NPL.LT.50) GO TO 170
320      140  IF(NPL.GE.54) GO TO 150
330      WRITE(21,904)
340      904  FORMAT(1H )
350      NPL=NPL+1
360      GO TO 140
370      150  NPL=0
380      160  WRITE(21,905) (HEAD1(I),I=1,NAXLES),
390      * (HEAD2(I),I=1,KK)
400      905  FORMAT(1H1,' TIME Y(I)',14X,
410      * 'V,C-G PITCH',4X,8(A5,4X))
420      WRITE(21,904)
430      NPL=NPL+2
440      170  DO 180 I=1,IDF
450      180  VOUT(I)=VAR(I)
460      J=IDF
470      IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N') GO TO 190
480      J=J+1
490      VOUT(J)=DISDRV

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500 190 WRITE(21,906) T,PROFIL(1),(VOUT(I),I=1,J)
510 906 FORMAT(/1X,F7.4,F6.2,' DISPL ',10F9.4)
520 DO 200 I=1,IDF
530 K=I+IDF
540 200 VOUT(I)=VAR(K)
550 IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N') GO TO 210
560 VOUT(J)=VELDRV
570 210 WRITE(21,907) AP,(VOUT(I),I=1,J)
580 907 FORMAT(' AVEPHR=',F6.2,' VELOCITY',10F9.4)
590 DO 220 I=1,IDF
600 220 VOUT(I)=ACCGS(I)
610 IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N') GO TO 230
620 VOUT(J)=ACCDRV
630 230 IF(IFPWR.NE.'N') GO TO 240
640 WRITE(21,908) (VOUT(I),I=1,J)
650 908 FORMAT(10X,'ACCELERATION',2X,10F9.4)
660 GO TO 250
670 240 WRITE(21,909) ABSPWR,(VOUT(I),I=1,J)
680 909 FORMAT(' POWER=',F6.2,' ACCEL ',10F9.4)
690 250 NPL=NPL+4
700 IF(IFRMS.EQ.'N') RETURN
710 DO 260 I=1,IDF
720 260 VOUT(I)=RMS(I)
730 IF(IFDRV.EQ.'N') GO TO 270
740 VOUT(J)=RMSDRV
750 270 WRITE(21,910) (VOUT(I),I=1,J)
760 910 FORMAT(16X,'RMS ACC ',10F9.4)
770 NPL=NPL+1
780 RETURN
790 996 FORMAT(A5)
800 END

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010      SUBROUTINE WHEELS(FK,NYTEMP)
020      C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE IS THE GENERALIZED
030      C ***** WHEELED VEHICLE MODEL
040      DIMENSION TEMP(3),FK(18),NYTEMP(3)
050      REAL LEN,MASS,INRTIA
060      DATA IFIRST/0/
070      C ***** RESULTING AXLE FORCES
080      99      DO 110 I=1,NAXLES
090      FORCW(I)=0.
100      DO 100 J=1,NSEGS
110      JJ=J+NYTEMP(I)
120      JJJ=J+(I-1)*NSEGS
130      TEMP0=Y(JJ)-VAR(2+I)-THRESH(JJJ)
140      IF(TEMP0.LT.0.) TEMP0=0.0
150      100      FORCW(I)=FORCW(I)+GAMMA(JJJ)*TEMP0
160      110      CONTINUE
170      C *****
180      UU=LEN(3)+LEN(4)
190      IF(UU.LE.0.) GO TO 120
200      U=(VAR(4)-VAR(5))/UU
210      BETA=ATAN(U)
220      DBETA=(VAR(4+IDF)-VAR(5+IDF))/(UU*(1.+U*U))
230      TEMP2=SIN(BETA)
240      TEMP4=COS(BETA)
250      120      TEMP1=SIN(VAR(2))
260      TEMP3=COS(VAR(2))
270      C ***** SUSPENSION SPRING DEFLECTION (SPDEF)
280      SPDEF(1)=VAR(3)-VAR(1)-LEN(1)*TEMP1
290      SPDEF(2)=VAR(4)-VAR(1)+LEN(2)*TEMP1
300      & -LEN(3)*TEMP2
310      IF(NAXLES.LT.3) GO TO 130
320      SPDEF(3)=VAR(5)-VAR(1)+LEN(2)*TEMP1
330      & +LEN(4)*TEMP2
340      C ***** SUSPENSION SPRING RATE OF DEFLECTION (DSPDF)
350      130      DSPDF(1)=VAR(3+IDF)-VAR(1+IDF)
360      & -LEN(1)*VAR(2+IDF)*TEMP3
370      DSPDF(2)=VAR(4+IDF)-VAR(1+IDF)
380      & +LEN(2)*VAR(2+IDF)*TEMP3-LEN(3)*DBETA*TEMP4
390      IF(NAXLES.LT.3) GO TO 140
400      DSPDF(3)=VAR(5+IDF)-VAR(1+IDF)
410      & +LEN(2)*VAR(2+IDF)*TEMP3+LEN(4)*DBETA*TEMP4
420      C ***** SUSPENSION SPRING FORCES
430      140      DO 160 I=1,NAXLES
440      K=5
450      DO 150 M=1,4
460      IF(SPDEF(I).LT.SLIMIT(M,I)) GO TO 155
470      150      CONTINUE
480      GO TO 160

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490 155 K=M
500 160 FORCK(I)=SSLOPE(K,I)*SPDEF(I)+SINT(K,I)
510 C ***** SUSPENSION DAMPING FORCES
520 DO 180 I=1,NAXLES
530 K=3
540 DO 170 M=1,2
550 IF(DSPDF(I).LT.DLIMIT(M,I)) GO TO 175
560 170 CONTINUE
570 GO TO 180
580 175 K=M
590 180 DAMP(I)=DSLOPE(K,I)*DSPDF(I)+DINT(K,I)
600 C ***** DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS
610 C ***** FK(1) AND FK(1+IDF)---CG MOTION
620 C ***** FK(2) AND FK(2+IDF)---PITCH MOTION
630 C ***** FK(3) AND FK(3+IDF)---AXLE1 MOTION
640 C *****
650 C ***** FK(N) AND FK(N+IDF)---AXLEN MOTION
660 DO 190 I=1,IDF
670 190 FK(I)=H*VAR(I+IDF)
680 STEMP=0.
690 DO 200 I=1,NAXLES
700 TEMP(I)=FORCK(I)+DAMP(I)
710 STEMP=STEMP+TEMP(I)
720 200 FK(I+2+IDF)=H*(FORCK(I)-TEMP(I)
730 & -MASS(I)*386.)/MASS(I)
740 FK(I+IDF)=H*(STEMP-FMASS*386.)/FMASS
750 FK(2+IDF)=H*(LEN(1)*TEMP(1)
760 & -LEN(2)*TEMP(2))/INRTIA
770 RETURN
780 END
790
800
810
820 C*****
830
840
850
860 SUBROUTINE M113(FK)
870 C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE IS FOR A TRACKED
880 C ***** VEHICLE, NOT USED HERE
890 END
900 C
910 C
920 C
930 C
940 C
950 SUBROUTINE M60(FK)
960 C ***** THIS SUBROUTINE IS FOR A TRACKED
970 C ***** VEHICLE, NOT USED HERE
980 END

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APPENDIX C:

The vehicle parameters necessary for wheeled vehicle simulation are listed in the same order as in subroutine data. The variable names are written in all capital letters. See Figures C1 through C3 for clarification. Those parameters in DATA, not listed herein, are not necessary for wheeled vehicle simulation. This appendix is intended as a work sheet for use in obtaining data for simulation of a new vehicle.

A. DSETUP

1. NY - number of profile points
under vehicle (computed) 0.0
2. IDF - degrees of freedom _____
 = 4 for 2-axle vehicles
 = 5 for 3-axle vehicles
3. NAXLES - number of axles _____
4. NSEGS - number of segments in tire
model (computed) 0.0
5. IFHORZ 0.0

B. DLEN

1. LEN(1) - l_1 : horizontal distance from front
axle to center of gravity _____ inches
2. LEN(2) - l_2 : horizontal distance from CG
to rear axle (or center of rear
bogie assembly) _____ inches
3. LEN(3) - l_2 : horizontal distance from
center of rear bogie assembly
to center of 2nd axle (= 0 for
2 axles) _____ inches

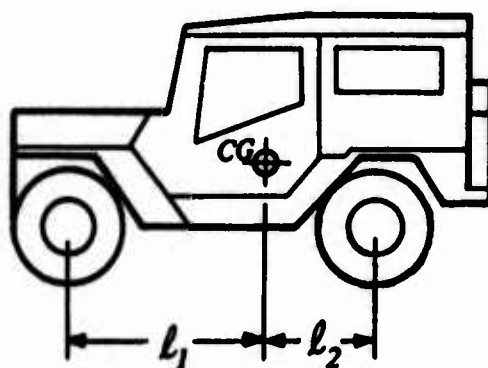
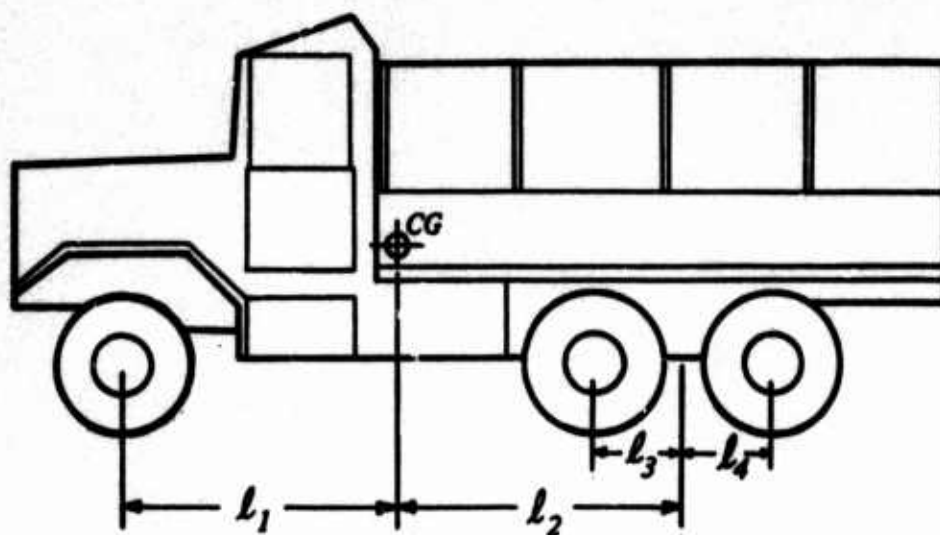


Figure C1. Geometrical Vehicle Parameters

4. LEN(4) - L_1 : horizontal distance from center of rear bogie to center of 3rd axle (= 0 for 2-axes) _____ Inches

5. LEN(5) thru LEN(9) 0.0 Inches

C. D_{MASS} - Unsprung masses

1. MASS(1) - M_1 : Mass of front axle including wheels _____ $\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{Inches}}$

2. MASS(2) - M_2 : Mass of second axle _____ $\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{Inches}}$

3. MASS(3) - M_3 : Mass of third axle _____ $\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{Inches}}$

4. MASS(4) - MASS(6) _____ $\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{Inches}}$

D. D_{FMASS}- M_0 : Sprung mass _____ $\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{Inches}}$

E. D_{INRTA}- I_0 : Pitch moment of inertia of sprung mass about CG _____ $\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{Inches}}$

F. DESCRIPTION OF SUSPENSION SPRING FORCE FUNCTION (see Figure C2)

1. D_{SLIM} - limits of regions

a. Front axle:

(1) SLIMIT(1,1) - x_{11} _____ Inches

(2) SLIMIT(2,1) - x_{21} _____ Inches

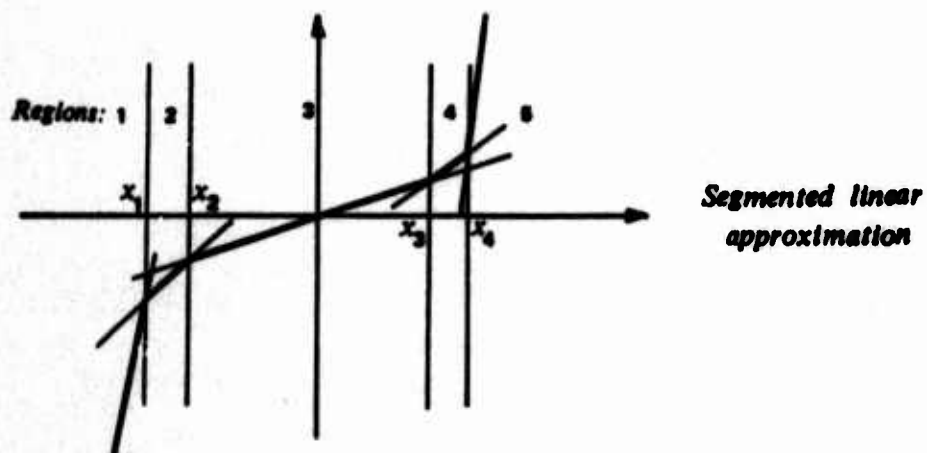
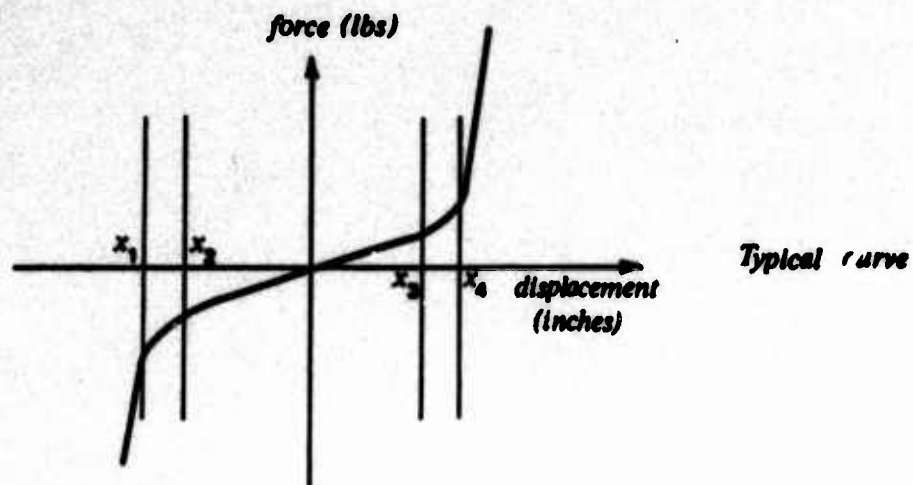
(3) SLIMIT(3,1) - x_{31} _____ Inches

(4) SLIMIT(4,1) - x_{41} _____ Inches

b. Second axle:

(1) SLIMIT(1,2) - x_{12} _____ Inches

(2) SLIMIT(2,2) - x_{22} _____ Inches



Equations of lines are:

$$F_{ij} = m_{ij}\delta_j + C_{ij}$$

i = region number (=1,2,3,4,5)

j = axle number (1,2,3)

Figure C2. Segmented-Linear Spring Force Approximation

(3) SLIMIT(3,2) - x_{32} _____ inches

(4) SLIMIT(3,2) - x_{42} _____ inches

c. Third axle (if 2-axles, these are zeroes)

(1) SLIMIT(1,3) - x_{13} _____ inches

(2) SLIMIT(2,3) - x_{23} _____ inches

(3) SLIMIT(3,3) - x_{33} _____ inches

(4) SLIMIT(4,3) - x_{43} _____ inches

2. DSSL0 - Slope of lines which approximate the force
vs. deflection curve of the suspension springs.

a. Front axle:

(1) SSLOPE(1,1) - m_{11} _____

(2) SSLOPE(2,1) - m_{21} _____

(3) SSLOPE(3,1) - m_{31} _____

(4) SSLOPE(4,1) - m_{41} _____

(5) SSLOPE(5,1) - m_{51} _____

b. Second axle:

(1) SSLOPE(1,2) - m_{12} _____

(2) SSLOPE(2,2) - m_{22} _____

(3) SSLOPE(3,2) - m_{32} _____

(4) SSLOPE(4,2) - m_{42} _____

(5) SSLOPE(5,2) - m_{52} _____

c. Third axle:

(1) SSLOPE(1,3) - m_{13} _____

(2) SSLOPE(2,3) - m_{23} _____

(3) SSLOPE(3,3) - m_{33} _____

$$(4) \text{ SSLOPE}(4,3) - m_{43} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(5) \text{ SSLOPE}(5,3) - m_{53} \dots \dots \dots$$

3. DSINT - Intercepts of force vs deflection lines.

a. Front axle:

$$(1) \text{ SINT}(1,1) - c_{11} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(2) \text{ SINT}(2,1) - c_{21} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(3) \text{ SINT}(3,1) - c_{31} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(4) \text{ SINT}(4,1) - c_{41} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(5) \text{ SINT}(5,1) - c_{51} \dots \dots \dots$$

b. Second axle:

$$(1) \text{ SINT}(1,2) - c_{12} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(2) \text{ SINT}(2,2) - c_{22} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(3) \text{ SINT}(3,2) - c_{32} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(4) \text{ SINT}(4,2) - c_{42} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(5) \text{ SINT}(5,2) - c_{52} \dots \dots \dots$$

c. Third axle:

$$(1) \text{ SINT}(1,3) - c_{13} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(2) \text{ SINT}(2,3) - c_{23} \dots \dots \dots$$

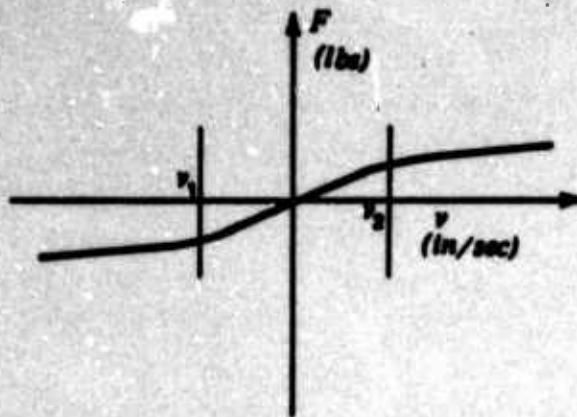
$$(3) \text{ SINT}(3,3) - c_{33} \dots \dots \dots$$

$$(4) \text{ SINT}(4,3) - c_{43} \dots \dots \dots$$

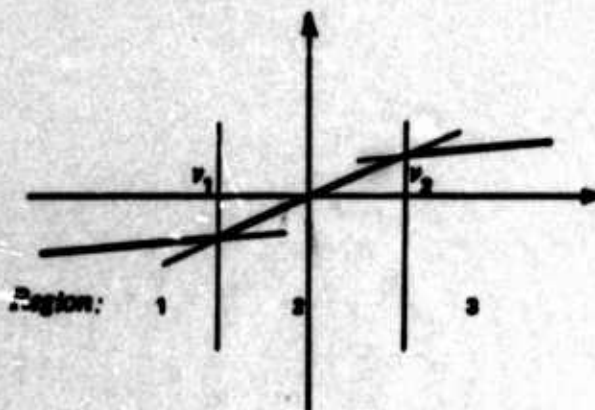
$$(5) \text{ SINT}(5,3) - c_{53} \dots \dots \dots$$

G. DESCRIPTION OF SUSPENSION DAMPING FORCE FUNCTION (see Figure C3)

1. DDLIM - Limits of regions.



Typical curve



Segmented linear approximation

Equations of lines are:

$$F_{ij} = n_{ij} \dot{\delta}_j + d_{ij}$$

i = region number (=1,2,3)

j = axle number (=1,2,3)

Figure C3. Segmented-Linear Damping Force Approximation

a. Front axle:

(1) DLIMIT(1,1) - v_{11} _____ in/sec(2) DLIMIT(2,1) - v_{21} _____ in/sec

b. Second axle:

(1) DLIMIT(1,2) - v_{12} _____ in/sec(2) DLIMIT(2,2) - v_{22} _____ in/sec

c. Third axle:

(1) DLIMIT(1,3) - v_{13} _____ in/sec(2) DLIMIT(2,3) - v_{23} _____ in/sec2. DDSLO - Slope of lines which approximate the
force-velocity curve.

a. Front axle:

(1) DSLOPE(1,1) - n_{11} _____(2) DSLOPE(2,1) - n_{21} _____(3) DSLOPE(3,1) - n_{31} _____

b. Second axle:

(1) DSLOPE(1,2) - n_{12} _____(2) DSLOPE(2,2) - n_{22} _____(3) DSLOPE(3,2) - n_{32} _____

c. Third axle:

(1) DSLOPE(1,3) - n_{13} _____(2) DSLOPE(2,3) - n_{23} _____(3) DSLOPE(3,3) - n_{33} _____

3. DDINT - Intercepts of lines on damping force
vs. deflection velocity curves.

a. Front axle:

(1) DINT(1,1) - d_{11} _____

(2) DINT(2,1) - d_{21} _____

(3) DINT(3,1) - d_{31} _____

b. Second axle:

(1) DINT(1,2) - d_{12} _____

(2) DINT(2,2) - d_{22} _____

(3) DINT(3,2) - d_{32} _____

c. Third axle:

(1) DINT(1,3) - d_{13} _____

(2) DINT(2,3) - d_{23} _____

(3) DINT(3,3) - d_{33} _____

H. DR - The undeflected tire radius in inches . . . _____ inches

APPENDIX D (Documentation of PWRPLT)

- I. **DESCRIPTION:** This program plots the absorbed power and the average absorbed power against time. It stores the plot in a file on disc which can be printed on a line-printer with 130 characters per line.
- II. **INPUTS AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS:**
 - A. Prior to execution: none
 - B. During execution:
 1. **IFILE:** The name of the file which contains the power and absorbed power. This file must be in the format of the detailed output file from VEH, with options absorbed power and RMS accelerations specified. This file name must be 5 or less characters long.
 2. **OFIL:** Desired name of plot file; not over 5 characters.
- III. **OUTPUTS:** One file containing a plot of absorbed power and average power vs. time.

IV. SAMPLE EXECUTION:

.EX PWRPLT
FORTRAN: PWRPLT
LOADING

LOADER 4K CORE
EXECUTION

IFILE: FILEX

OFILE: PWRX
END OF FILE ON DSKI
(//F, /8X, F, /7X, F)

LAST FORTRAN I-O AT USER LOC 000267

EXECUTION TIME: 8.20 SEC.
TOTAL ELAPSED TIME: 45.20 SEC.
NO EXECUTION ERRORS DETECTED

EXIT

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V. PROGRAM LISTING:

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010      DIMENSION X(120),T(10)
020      DIMENSION P(10),AP(10)
030      DATA X/120*' '/
040      STAR=1*'
050      PLUS=1+'
060      BLANK=' '
070      WRITE(6,900)
080      900  FORMAT(' IFILE: ',5)
090      ACCEPT 995, FN1
100      995  FORMAT(A5)
110      CALL IFILE(21,FN1)
120      WRITE(6,905)
130      905  FORMAT(' OFILE: ',5)
140      ACCEPT 995, FN2
150      CALL OFILE(22,FN2)
160      C
170      WRITE(22,940) FN1
180      940  FORMAT(' GRAPH OF TIME VS ABSORBED'
190      + ' POWER FOR ',A5,', DAT'//)
200      WRITE(22,945) (1,1=0,22)
210      945  FORMAT('*,',TIME ',11,22(3X,12),
220      + 'POWER AVE'//)
230      105  DO 110 J=1,300
240      READ(21,995) TEST
250      IF(EOFC) GO TO 9999
260      110  IF(TEST.EQ.'1 T1') GO TO 120
270      GO TO 9999
280      120  DO 130 I=1,10
290      READ(21,920) T(I),AP(I),P(I)
300      IF(EOFC) GO TO 135
310      130  CONTINUE
320      920  FORMAT('//F,/8X,F,/7X,F)
330      JJ=10
340      GO TO 136
350      135  JJ=1
360      136  DO 140 I=1,JJ
370      IX=(5.*AP(I)+.5)+1
380      IF(IX.LE.0) IX=1
390      IF(IX.GT.110) IX=110
400      X(IX)=STAR
410      C

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420      IXX=(5.*P(I)+.5)+1
430      IF(IXX.LE.0) IXX=1
440      IF(IXX.GT.110) IXX=110
450      X(IXX)=PLUS
460      WRITE(22,930) T(I),(X(J),J=1,110),
470      & P(I),AP(I)
480      930  FORMAT(' ',F5.2,110A1,2F6.2)
490      X(IX)=BLANK
500      140  X(IXX)=BLANK
510      GO TO 105
520      9999  WRITE(22,945) (I,I=0,22)
530      CALL EXIT
540      END
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